

## FIRE AT ZAG DESTROYS FAMILY'S HOME, BARN, AND TOBACCO CROP

**Zules Lewis Family  
Loses All Belongings;  
Shower Set Sat. Night**

Thanksgiving will be bleak this year for one Morgan County farm family.

Fire, which broke out about dark Saturday in a tobacco and stock barn belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Zules Lewis at Zag, destroying the barn and its contents, then igniting the Lewis residence which also burned to the ground. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis and their three children were away at church at the time.

Destroyed with the barn were the family's two-acre crop of tobacco, most of it stripped and ready for market, 11 head of Holstein cattle, and several pieces of farm machinery.

The seven-room modern frame home also was a complete loss. Nothing was saved. Authorities said that when neighbors arrived on the scene both buildings were completely engulfed in flames.

According to Sheriff James Brooks who helped investigate the fire, Lewis estimated his loss at around \$30,000. Sheriff Brooks said Lewis told him he had only a small amount of insurance.

Authorities said the fire started in the barn, either from faulty wiring or from a heating stove in the stripping room where the family had been preparing their burley crop for market.

A short circuit in an electrical wire, apparently caused by the fire at the barn, is believed to have been responsible for igniting the residence.

A relative reported that in the aftermath of the blaze, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis are repairing a tenant house on their property and plan to live there for the time being.

### Shower Saturday For Stricken Family

Meanwhile, friends and members of the Lick Fork Church have scheduled a household shower for the stricken family to be held at the Lick Fork Church Saturday, Nov. 28, following worship services. Any one wishing to leave gifts at the church may do so on Saturday afternoon. Any household items and clothing will be greatly appreciated. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have one son, about 8 years old, and two daughters, 12 and 15.

### KIWANIS CLUB SPEAKER

Dr. Farrish, a Salyersville druggist, was guest speaker at last week's dinner meeting of the West Liberty Kiwanis Club and discussed drug abuse and its effects.

## COURIER IS EARLY FOR THANKSGIVING

THE COURIER is being issued a half day early this week so that workers can enjoy part of Thanksgiving Day at their homes. We had hoped to make it a day early and catch the Wednesday mails, but found it mechanically impossible.

## DEATH CLAIMS MRS. CARPENTER OF TOMS BRANCH

Mrs. Rosa B. Sheets Carpenter, 72, of Route 1 West Liberty (Toms Branch) died at 8 a.m. Monday at the St. Claire Medical Center, Morehead. She was a member of the Church of God and was a native of Virginia.

Mrs. Carpenter was born April 29, 1898, a daughter of the late David and Sarah Greear Sheets.

She is survived by her husband, Joe C. Carpenter of Route 1 West Liberty; one daughter, Gladys Williams of Franklin, Ohio; two sons, Clifton C. Carpenter of Route 1 West Liberty and Aubra R. Carpenter of Carlisle, Ohio; one sister, Fannie Coffee of St. Cloud, Fla., and one brother, Irving Sheets of Union City, Ohio.

Funeral was conducted at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday Nov. 25, at the Potter Funeral Home by Rev. Glenn Lawson. Burial was in the Coffee Cemetery at Route 1 West Liberty under the direction of Potter Funeral Home.

### A. J. Herald Has Surgery In Texas

A. J. Herald, partner here in the Herald & Stewart Funeral Home, is recovering normally in the Methodist Hospital in Houston, Texas after surgery for an occluded carotid artery last Friday by the noted surgeon Dr. Michael DeBakey of Houston. Mr. Herald is expected to be released early next week to return home. He was accompanied to Houston by Mrs. Herald and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Clyde Herald of Lexington.

### UP AND UP

According to the latest figures, at least one thing continues on the up-and-up: The cost of living.



—Photo by Dan Lacy

**MCHS BLUE DEVILS, 1970-71 EDITION**—This year's Blue Devils opened their season last Friday at Grayson Pritchard, falling, 68-66, in a barn-burner. Before resuming their regular schedule against Paintsville next Tuesday, the Devils were to participate in the annual Jenny Wiley Invitational Tournament at Prestonsburg this week and were to play Martin in the upper

bracket last night (Wednesday). The Blue Devils are, standing from left, Mike Blanton, Stephen Ratliff, Tim Keller, Jeffery Brown, Mike Jenkins, James Wallen, Jimmy Hill, Eddie Cottle, Cliffie Smith, David May, Terry Stacy, and Jimmie Elam. Coach Kenneth Collinsworth is kneeling at right. Kneeling at left is Assistant Coach Asa M. Vest.

### Fund For Rhonda McKenzie Reaches \$3,550 This Week

It was announced this week that total contributions to date to the Rhonda McKenzie Fund are \$3,550.

Little Rhonda and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McKenzie of West Liberty are leaving Saturday for Charlottesville, Va. where Rhonda will undergo her second of six operations needed to correct her birth defects. The operation is scheduled for Dec. 1.

Many hundreds of citizens in this and nearby counties have contributed to the fund to help Rhonda's parents meet their travel and living expenses while Rhonda is in the hospital. Some money also may be needed to meet hospital expenses.

Surgeons are confident that the series of corrective operations will allow Rhonda, age 1, to live a normal life.

### SCHOOLS ARE OUT REST OF WEEK

Morgan County High School and other Morgan county schools recessed at the end of classes Tuesday for a three-day Thanksgiving holiday. Morgan County High held an assembly Tuesday in observance of Thanksgiving. Rev. Steve Bliffin brought the Thanksgiving message and offered prayer.

Morgan County High was the scene of an In-Service Conference of Teachers on Wednesday, the subject being "Drug Abuse Education". Taking part were Naomi Finch, school nurse; Dr. Morris L. Peyton, Girty Elam, local pharmacist; Atty Robert Hutehinson, and representative of the State Police, the Cave Run Mental Health Program, and the Clinical Research Center, Lexington.

### AMBULANCE SERVICE SEEKS 500 MEMBERS AT \$30 TO KEEP GOING

Declaring the first month's operation had shown a big loss, the Morgan Ambulance Service told the Morgan Fiscal Court at a special meeting Friday: there seemed to be only three alternatives, namely—

1. Sign up 500 subscribers at \$30 each, who would get special ambulance rates.
2. Obtain a subsidy from the County, or
3. Discontinue the service.

The Fiscal Court took no official action, but sanctioned the campaign to sign up 500 subscribers at \$30 a year. Paul Motley, manager of the new ambulance service set up to serve the county after funeral homes discontinued ambulance service, said the first month's income was \$1,030, and that this represented collections on 80% of the 40 runs that were made. He said expenses for the first month totaled \$2,120, figured as follows: \$400 a month for manager; \$100 a month for part-time secretary; \$340 a month for one driver and \$400 for the other; and \$80, and

### BLUE DEVILS LOSE NET OPENER BY 2; PLAY IN TOURNNEY THIS WEEK

**Play Martin This  
Weekend In Jenny  
Wiley Tourney**

Morgan County High's youth basketball team, with only one starter back from last season, received its baptism of fire last Friday at Grayson, falling to the Grayson Pritchard Yellow Jackets, 68-66, in a barnburner.

Though beaten in their season opener, Coach Kenneth Collinsworth's Blue Devils gave a good account of themselves and had nothing to be ashamed of as the two evenly-matched teams battled on nearly even terms throughout the game. It was Grayson's sixth encounter.

The Blue Devils jumped to 27-19 lead in the first period and clung to a 38-35 lead at half-time. The Morgan lads outscored the Yellow Jackets, 17-16, in the third, but the Jackets, sparked by 3-10 forward Larry Salley, and forward Allen Rice, tied the count midway in the final quarter, 53-51.

Thereafter, the lead changed hands twice and the score was tied four times before the final horn sounded. Jump shots by Mike Blanton and free throws by veteran Jimmy Hill kept the Devils in contention and the outcome in doubt during the final four minutes.

Late in the quarter, Hill sank two from the free throw line to tie it up at 66-66 with 46 seconds to go and Grayson gambled on a last-second shot, freezing the ball for 40 seconds, before Larry Salley took aim from the corner and singled the nets, too late for the Devils to get set up for another shot. Jim Hill led the scoring for

the Devils with 29 points, followed by Mike Blanton with 10, Tim Keller with 9, James Wallin, David May, and Cliffie Smith with 5 each.

Salley led the Yellow Jackets with 26 points. McKenzie was the only other Grayson player in double figures with 17.

The Blue Devils journeyed to Prestonsburg last night (Wednesday) to take part in the Jenny Wiley Invitational Tournament. The Devils were to play Martin in the second game.

Morgan County resumes regular season play Tuesday against Paintsville, at home.

### EX-COLLEGE STARS AND TALENTED MSU FROSH WILL PLAY HERE DEC. 4

**Benefit Bout  
Sponsored By  
Boosters Club**

Next week, right here in West Liberty, basketball fans will have an opportunity to witness basketball action at its finest, played by some of the state's most talented college stars.

Squaring off Friday, Dec. 4, in a benefit game at the Morgan County High School gym will be the talent-packed Morehead State University freshman team and the UK College of Dentistry, which features a heavy of former UK Wildcat stars and former top-notch players from other colleges and universities.

The game is being sponsored by the Morgan County Boosters Club to raise money needed to provide equipment for athletic programs at Morgan County's six schools.

Game time will be 8 p.m. with a preliminary game between Morgan County seventh and eighth graders and seventh and eighth graders from Wolfe County High School.

A pre-game ticket sale is now in progress with student tickets being sold at each school in the county. Advance student tickets are 50 cents and will be sold for 75 cents at the gate.

### Welcome Service For New Minister Set Sunday At 7:30

The Morgan County Ministerial Association has scheduled a Welcome Service for Rev. Howard Lamb, new pastor of the Glen Avenue Church of God. The welcome service will be held at 7:30 this Sunday evening at the Glen Avenue Church of God. Most churches plan to dispense with their Sunday evening services to allow their pastors and congregations to attend the welcome service. Rev. Lamb will be the speaker and everyone is cordially invited to attend.

### PROVERB

It is not the burden but the overburden that kills the beast. —Spain

### 9 Morgan Democrats At Combs Dinner

Nine Morgan County Democrats attended the \$100-a-plate fund-raising dinner for former Gov. Bert Combs and Julian Carroll at the Executive Inn in Louisville Monday evening. They were—Rep. Joe Hane, W. Crow Stamper, party chairman; Judge Gene Allen, Magistrate Marshall Gibson, James A. Perry, Grover Frederick, Clarence Smith, Denzil Elam, and Joe Lykins.

### 3 DIE, 2 INJURED IN MENIFEE CO. WRECK FRIDAY

Three Menifee County youths were killed and two injured Friday night in a single car accident one mile west of Frenchburg on KY-36 when their car left the roadway apparently at a high rate of speed and crashed into a concrete culvert.

Killed in the wreck were Ernest E. Spencer, 14, and Tensley O. Eversole, 15, both of Sudith, and Michael Gerald Stamper, 17, of Frenchburg.

Driver of the vehicle, Johnny Mullins, 13, of Sudith, was listed in fair condition in a Lexington hospital. A passenger in the car, Jack Smith, 17, of Sudith, was listed in critical condition at the Lexington hospital late Sunday.

The accident occurred about 9:50 p.m., police said, but was not reported until early Saturday morning.

Funeral services for Stamper were conducted Monday at the Hazel Green United Methodist Church. See story elsewhere in this edition.

### REAL AMERICAN

One reason the Indians saw so much beauty in early America was that they didn't use billboards in their sign language. —Wall Street Journal

## Demand Strong for Burley First Day

**Companies Buying  
More, Pool Takes  
Less This Year**

This year's burley markets opened on a brighter note Monday — slightly higher prices than last year and only about half as much tobacco going to the co-op at support prices.

Opening-day averages across Kentucky was about \$1 higher than opening day last year, and nearly all the leaf was being taken by tobacco companies with only about 10% going to the pool at support prices. Last year the pool got 28% of offerings on opening day.

Limiting sales to 3½ hours a day and four days a week probably will prevent overcrowding the redriers, as happened last year, and kept companies from taking a normal amount of leaf.

Also, this year's crop though grading lower than last year in many instances, is a low-nicotine crop and seems to be pleasing to the manufacturers. Government graders found fewer lugs and flyins and more leaf grades, also more low-quality and "no-grade" tobacco. But the manufacturers were bidding strong, for this year's crop of lower nicotine content and thus fits the companies' need for a product more acceptable to the anti-smoking interests in the continuing tobacco and health battle.

GARY HOLBROOK, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holbrook of White Oak, is expected to be a big asset to the Cedarville (Ohio) College basketball team again this season. Holbrook, one of the strongest forwards in the Mid-Ohio Conference, was the leading rebounder and second highest scorer in the conference last season. The lanky Morgan County High School product averaged 14.4 rebounds and 20.5 points per game at Cedarville last season. As a result, he was selected to appear in the 1970 edition of "Outstanding College Athletes of America." Holbrook, who starred in basketball, football, baseball, and track at Morgan High, also shines scholastically and was named to the Dean's List at Cedarville last quarter. During his high school career, Holbrook was named to the All-State Football Team and received honorable Mention in basketball. Before transferring to Cedarville College, Holbrook captained the freshman basketball team at Eastern Kentucky University.

Lo Massie, UK's tobacco specialist, declared this year's crop is "very usable" and appeals to the companies.

Support price this year is \$68.80 as compared to \$65.80 last year.

Highest opening day average was posted at Franklin at \$73.88.

Opening day averages on nearby markets were—

Huntington	\$73.60
Mt. Sterling	73.42
Morehead	73.42
Lexington	73.37
Paris	73.00
Maysville	72.87
Winchester	72.80

Some early crops from Morgan that brought better than \$72 a hundred are given here—

Maxwell Vest	\$76.10
Hollie Lynch	\$75.07
Mort Peyton	\$74.28
Maxwell Vest	\$73.73
Hobart L. Lykins	\$72.45
Lonnie Thornberry	Rt. 2, 1,868 lbs., \$74.33
Carl Prater	Rt. 2 Salyersville, 366 lbs., \$73.70
Farris Anderson	Forraker, 1,206 lbs., \$72.39
Walter Roseberry	Rt. 3, \$73.70
Duane Arnett	\$74.60
Floyd Sherman	\$73.71
Winfred Williams	Lenox, 1,900 lbs., \$74.82
Hammie Ison	Rt. 3, 2,496 lbs., \$73.65
Hager Mullins	Burkhart, 1,554 lbs., \$74.70
Isaac Ison and Walter Roseberry	Rt. 3, 1,418 lbs., \$73.77
Dorsey Lane	Maytown, 4,324 lbs., \$72.62

### ROCKETS WIN ONE AND DROP TWO NET GAMES

The Ezel High School Rockets have won once and lost twice in recent encounters, but have run up high scores in all three.

Last Friday, the Rockets, sparked by Ross, Maloney, Cole and Nipper, all in double figures, blasted Riverside High, 83-66.

Ross scored 24 points, Maloney 21, Cole 19, and Nipper 14, and Bartley added 6 to the winning effort.

On Saturday night, the Rockets scored 70 points, but were outgunned by a more experienced Hazel Green Academy squad. The score was 84-70. Nipper led scoring for Ezel with 22, followed by Maloney with 16, Ross and Cole with 14 each, and Bartley with 4.

On Tuesday of this week, the Rockets lost another close one, to Rowan County, 61-58. Cole with 16, and Maloney with 15, led the scoring. Ross got 12 points, Nipper 9, and Bartley 6.

The Rockets play Oakdale next Tuesday, away, and will meet Hitehins at Home Dec. 4.

### PROVERB

If a man be a coxcomb, solitude is his best school; and if he be a fool, it is his best sanctuary. —Alexander Pope (1705)

## KIWANIS PANCAKE FLIP

**SATURDAY, NOV. 28  
BASEMENT OF CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
6 a.m. to 1 p.m.**

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## COUNTY TAX BILLS NOW READY

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SHERIFF**



MORGAN COUNTIANS IN  
FARIBORN, OHIO

BY NORA EASTERLING

Nov. 23 — Mrs. Paulene Elliott and Mark, Mrs. Bernice Marie Bolin and Mary Alice, Mrs. Myrtle Williams and Ricky, Mrs. Peggy Williams and Toni, Mrs. Amanda Miller and Mrs. Donna Hill, were Friday guests of Nora Easterling, Rev. Tony Easterling and Rev. Tony Easterling were also guests of Nora.

Mrs. James Elliott and children were Thursday guests of Willie and Ethel Johnson.

Mrs. Julie Shaver Briley was Friday guest of her daughter, Mrs. Linda Turpin.

Guests during this week of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Williams were Phil Barnett, Darrell Gilliam, Mrs. Kathy Patrick and baby, Mrs. June Clevenger and Renee, Vicky Clevenger, Mike May, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Williams and Toni, Rev. Tony Easterling, Mrs. Jewell Crouch, Greg Sanford, Gloria June Creech, Darrell Humphrey, Anita Creech, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Williams, Ronda and Melissa, and Helen Mays.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson and Mrs. Vettie Spence were

to Kentucky to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim P. Johnson, and boys. They visited Elder and Mrs. John J. Johnson, Cpl. and Mrs. Ruby Johnson, and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, Mrs. Miamie Johnson of Cow Branch, Ky. and Elder and Mrs. Walter Johnson of Florence, Ky. last weekend.

Mrs. Paulene Elliott and her sisters and Mrs. Marie Williams went to the Nursing home at Fairborn, Ohio to sing for the old folks. They said the old folks were so nice, and enjoyed the singing.

REMAINS HOSPITALIZED  
IN TAMPA, FLORIDA

Mrs. Talitha Hager, wife of Mr. Bernard Hager of Kissimmee, Fla., remains hospitalized in Tampa, Fla. Mrs. Hager, formerly of Lacy Creek, Morgan County, was hospitalized Oct. 27 with a respiratory ailment and is expected to remain in the hospital for a lengthy period. Cards and letters may be addressed to her husband, Bernard Hager, Route 1 Box 59, Kissimmee, Fla. 32741.

Buy, Sell, Trade—Want Ads

## FLATWOODS

BY MARY B. KEMPLIN

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Larry Crews of Morehead were Sunday afternoon and supper guests of the Asa Kemplin family here. Mr. Crews is Asa's superintendent with the Soil Conservation Service.

Johnnie Kemplin of Middletown, Ohio was Friday through Monday guest of the Asa Kemplin family.

Ricky Steele of Grassy Creek was Saturday night guest of Austin Kemplin.

Mrs. Ruth Gose returned from a week's visit with her children in Dayton and Middletown, Ohio.

We have quite a few sick folks in our community. We hope a speedy recovery for them all.

Joanne Kemplin and Johnnie Lowe just returned from a hunting trip in Wyoming. They each got a deer the first day of their hunt.

We wish everybody a happy Thanksgiving.

A basic requirement for membership in the Future Farmers of America is that a boy must be a student of vocational agriculture in high school, although he may retain his membership for three years following graduation.

## LOGVILLE

BY RUBY ELAM

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kelly spent from Friday till Sunday in Wakefield, Ohio visiting her brother, Charlie Kennard, and Mrs. Kennard. On Saturday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Rufa Kennard of Waverly, Ohio came down and all enjoyed a delicious supper and visit. On Sunday morning, the Kellys and Kennards called San Gabriel, California and had a chat with Arlie and Fanny Kennard. Fanny, who has been a shut-in for some time, says she is no better.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Franklin of Ashland came up Saturday with their daughter, Pauline and husband, Mr. Johnson of Nashville, Tenn., on a sight-seeing trip. Mr. Johnson says he has heard of Rockhouse for 25 years but this was the first time he has had the privilege of being here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruby Rowland and Carlos of Jamestown, Ohio spent a few days last week with Ethel Hammond and family, the J. D. Blams, and the Ruby Smiths of Dingus.

Roy Prater and Mr. and Mrs. Garry Prater and children of Columbus, Ohio visited recently with relatives here.

Mrs. C. C. Smith and son of West Liberty were recent Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Ethel Hammond, Raymond and Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Coffey and her cousin of South Lebanon, Ohio spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Buford Coffey. Other guests of the Coffeys Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Curt Hopkins and children.

Scottie Penix, small son of Lester Penix is staying with his aunt, Mrs. Buford Coffey, and attending school at West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gustin of Milford, Ohio came Sunday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hopkins. Clarence is very sick at this time. Mrs. Hopkins talked with their son, Woodford of South Lebanon, Ohio, Sunday morning. She reports that he is also very sick.

Mrs. Mary Kennard has been very sick the past week and went to Dr. Bellamy for treatment. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hopkins were Sunday guests of the Kennards.

Mrs. Ethel Hammond and grandson, Paul Pack, visited Paula's mother, Mrs. David Grubbs, and Mr. Grubb in Dayton, Ohio recently.

Mrs. Buford Coffey got a letter from her son, Spec. A. Harlen Coffey of Germany, saying he was fine and wants to say hello to his friends and that he will be discharged from service in February.

Thanks to Mrs. John Gambill of South Charleston, Ohio and to Mrs. Ruby Rowland of Jamestown, Ohio for donations of \$10.00 each to Kennard Cemetery Association.

Mrs. Carrie Pack has been very ill for the past few days.

Mrs. J. Flem Kennard, who has been confined with a fractured ankle, is getting better and is able to work without the aid of a crutch.

161 FROM MORGAN ENROLLED AT MSU  
MOREHEAD, Ky. — Morehead State University's fall enrollment is 6,030. The MSU student body represents 95 Kentucky counties, 30 states, and eight foreign countries. Male students outnumber females 2,110 to 2,920. Nineteen Kentucky counties have more than 100 students at MSU. Morgan Countians enrolled at the University this fall total 161.

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## STACY FORK

JESSIE E. LEWIS

Nov. 23 — Treva Gullett received a phone call from her nephew Randall Barker of Middletown, Ohio, also from her niece, Norma Sue (Stacy) Wells of Germantown, Ohio Friday night of last week. She was informed that her brother, Hester Barker, had entered a hospital in Middletown, Ohio a week ago today. She called her brother, Estill Barker, Sunday. Hester was resting better according to the last report. Prayer and get-well wishes for Hester Barker and my nieces, Patty Anderson of Chicago, Ill., and Norma Sue Wells, also my nephew Darrel Ray Stacy.

Sorry to hear of Miles H. Ferguson being very ill in a Veterans Hospital in Columbus, Ohio.

Prayer goes out for our good friend, Curt Benton, who was to enter a Morehead Hospital Sunday Nov. 22.

Edgar Lewis attended church at Redeemed Baptist at Caney Sunday morning and visited Martin Lewis Sunday afternoon.

Kelly Lewis visited John Nipper Sunday afternoon at Dehart.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walter of Lexington visited his father, Harold Walter, and Lena, Wrae, Sunday.

Mrs. Blaine Stacy of Cincinnati visited relatives here last week. She and Mr. and Mrs. Willie Stacy were in West Liberty Friday.

W. M. (Marvin) Stacy and daughter, Arlene Lacy of Jeffersonville consulted Dr. George Bellamy Friday of last week and came home with her sister, Jessie E. and Martin Lewis for a few hours. They returned home Friday night.

They were accompanied to West Liberty by Martin and Jessie E. and Kelly Lewis.

Edgar and Kelly Lewis visited Erandon Lewis Friday. Erandon and wife, Gaynell Lewis, left Sunday for Ohio where he will be employed.

She sold her property in Louisiana and will also be employed in Ohio. They plan to purchase property in Ohio soon.

Kelly Lewis went to Veterans Hospital in Lexington today with Rev. and Mrs. Roy Benton for a check-up.

## YOCUM

BY SUDA LEWIS

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Morgan and daughter, Susie Bonieta Nunley and Geneva Bishop, all of Fairborn, Ohio spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis and daughters, Renee and Kim, of West Liberty visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ray Lykins and daughters, Tammy and Stephanie, of Cincinnati spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paris Lewis.

Boyd Watkins returned home Wednesday after a five day deer hunt without success.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Lewis and Burket Quicksall attended the furniture auction at Morehead Saturday night.

Mrs. John Lewis got a phone call from her brother, Eddie Wells, saying he had gotten back to California after a tour of duty in Vietnam and would be home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lewis are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Nov. 15 at Spencer Clinic. They chose the name Olen Glenn. He is the fourth son and sixth child.

Kentucky encompasses 40,395 square miles, ranking 37th among the states in area.

## OBITUARY



BENTON

Tora Craft Benton was born March 10, 1906, at Seitz, Magoffin County, Kentucky and died November 12, 1970, at her home at Caney, Morgan County, Kentucky. Her life on earth ended at the age of 64 years, 8 months, and two days.

She was the daughter of Alfonso and Martha Ellen Holbrook Craft and her paternal grandparents were Allen and Rachel Oliver Craft from Menifee County and her maternal grandparents were Granville and Rebecca Bach Holbrook of Magoffin County.

Tora was married to Dorsie Benton by Tony Benton Sept. 15, 1928, and to this union were born nine children:

Vesta Gullett, Insko, Kentucky; Virva Benton, Smithsboro, Kentucky; Glenn Benton, Lexington, Kentucky; Geraldine Benton, Caney, Kentucky; Norma Jean Sowder, Lexington, Kentucky; Mary Stamper, Chicago, Illinois; Charles Benton, Chicago, Illinois; and Chester and Alma Fay, deceased in infancy.

She leaves two brothers, Wardie and Ernest Craft of Caney, Kentucky and two sisters, Rossetti Adams of Caney and Cordie Perry of Chicago, Illinois, also she leaves 13 grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Tora's grade school education was secured from the Wolfe County Schools and Riverside School in Breathitt County. Her high school education was from Berea and Cannel City.

All through childhood and womanhood Tora was known for her honesty, kindness, and humbleness. During her married life her home was always a home for the children of the entire neighborhood and she dealt out her motherly love to the children who came her way. Her home was a heaven of rest for her grandchildren and they loved her as a mother.

From early childhood, Tora had a love for the Almighty God and His work. At the age of twenty years, on December 26, 1926, she was converted and on the 22nd day of July in the following year she joined the church and on the fourth Saturday in July 1927, she and her brother, Fred Craft, were baptized just below the Caney bridge at the hands of B. T. Morris and J. D. Coffee. For 44 years Tora has lived a good humble and devoted life; and all who know her could see from the fruits of her life that she had been with Jesus. She never wanted the high seat in anything but always preferred the low, and most of her good deeds were only unveiled in the eyes of her Savior and God.

Like many other Godly mothers she lived through the depression years, and she had to save and live very economically in order to keep her children from going hungry and if any one went without food or clothing it was not her husband or children but it was she. But today and in Eternity where she will live, her clothing will be made of shining white garments and the table will never become bare of heavenly food.

She has been a member of the Redeemed Church for up in thirty years and her labors for the church she always wanted to be free and without charge. The third Saturday night in September will be long remembered by all those who were present. Tora had to be carried to the church and was so sick she had to lie in bed during the services. But as the time came for the church to gather around the table of the Lord she arose from her bed and took her seat at the table to partake of the bread and wine and then in her humble manner she got down and girded herself with a towel and washed one of the sister's feet and as she went out of the church that night she bid each one farewell and left a lasting memorial for her children and friends to remember as she placed her tender arms around them and asked them to meet her in Heaven, her eternal home.

Now we have lost a great saint of the church, a loving wife, a mother that cannot be surpassed in love, and a friend to all. We trust that the beauties and the glories of her ended life here will bud and blossom in our souls and will lead our wayward feet in the path she so gently trod and finally at last we can meet her again in that land of endless day where tears will all be wiped away.

and good-byes will be strange.

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Ezel Graduate With  
Award-Winning Unit  
In South Vietnam

WITH U. S. COMBAT AIR FORCES, Vietnam — Sergeant Herman K. Brown, son of Mrs. Goldie Linkous of Rt. 2, Mt. Sterling, Ky., is a member of a unit that has earned the U. S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for the fourth consecutive year.

Sergeant Brown, an aircraft mechanic in the 12th Tactical Fighter Wing at Phu Cat AB, Vietnam, will wear a distinctive service ribbon to mark his affiliation with the unit. The wing, which was transferred to Phu Cat from Cam Ranh Bay AB, Base in March, was cited for quick, reliable response in providing close air support for allied ground operations in Vietnam from June 1, 1968, to May 31, 1969.

The unit, the first F-4 Phantom wing to operate in Vietnam, is a part of the Pacific Air Forces—headquarters for air operations in Southeast Asia, the Far East and the Pacific area.

Sergeant Brown is a 1968 graduate of Ezel (Ky.) High School. His father, Dorsey Brown, resides in Hazel Green, Ky.

## CARD OF THANKS

The family of John Vires wants to thank each and every one who came to us in our hour of sorrow; those who sent flowers, dug the grave, and helped in any other way. We want to especially thank Dr. Bellamy for all he has done, the doctors and nurses in both St. Claire and Lexington Medical hospitals. Thanks for the kindness of the principals and teachers of both Salyersville High School and Millard Hensley Elementary School; for the beautiful songs of the Salyersville High School Chorus, led by Joe Hall, and the boys who were pallbearers. We also thank all the staff of the Herald and Stewart Funeral Home and by Rev. Steve Bliffin for the beautiful service. Rev. Wilma Mickotey, Mrs. Margaret Fletcher and all the children at Dora Lee Childrens Home.

Read your home town paper—it's like a letter from home!

## BLACK'S MARKET

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# Ancient Art of Dowsing Returning; Used Now By Oil Men and Marines

By RUFUS M. REED

The ancient art of dowsing, using a divining rod, to locate underground water, minerals, gold, or buried treasures, is almost as old as human civilization; it was used in ancient Egypt by kings and leading wise men; and old Chinese king who lived over 4,000 ago was pictured as carrying a dowsing rod, or divining rod, as some call it. In ancient Egypt, a form of sculpture called bas-relief, showed water diviners carrying their dowsing rods looking for underground water; some also

used headgear equipment with a form of dowsing rod. During the days of early settlers of America, when people had to depend mostly on hand-dug wells for their water supply, they most always called in the "water diviner," or "water witch," as some called him, to use his forked witch hazel stick to locate the place to dig the well. Some of these diviners were adept at the art of locating underground water and seldom missed. Most of them used a forked stick of a witch hazel branch; they held the prongs in the hands, with the end for-

ward and walked about over the place where the proposed well was to be dug. The stick would dip down sharply, or make circles over the spot where there was underground water. Some people looked upon these water diviners as pure fakes and accused them of using some sort of hocus-pocus.

But that attitude toward the water dowsers has changed completely within the last four or five years; it took the U. S. Marines in Vietnam to put the art of water dowsing up in the domain of science. When bombs knocked out their radar equipment the Marines who were gifted in the use of the dowsing rods, took their rods and used them to locate hidden tunnels, mines, booby traps and buried mortar shells. So the Marines have put the cloak of respectability around the ancient art of dowsing and it is claimed that they have been so successful in locating dangerous mines underground they have out-scored the use of radar.

Also the oil and gas companies of Canada have been using the gifted dowsers on their payroll. Both men and women are now practicing the art of dowsing to find underground minerals, coal and water. The most famous dowsers among the women is a lady whose name is Evelyn Penrose;

she lives in Australia but often flies to British Columbia to help the drilling companies locate places to drill for oil and gas. On her dowsing trips, she is accompanied by high officials of Canada, and all of them have high praise for her ability to find water, oil or natural gas. Solely on her advice many wells have been drilled and all have proved highly productive. The ancient art of dowsing has now been adopted by many European countries and many experiments have been undertaken; scientists have studied it from various angles; they have taken films of the dowsers at work; many valuable veins of ore have been found by the gifted dowsers.

Although many pipe line and oil companies have been using dowsers, most of them have been reluctant to admit it until recently. But now that science has taken over this ancient art and studied it scientifically from various angles, none of the companies who employ dowsers are now ashamed to admit using them. It is now regarded as a proved scientific art, based upon proved geological and scientific laws. How do these gifted dowsers find underground minerals, mines, water, coal, or buried treasure? Science has brought forth the following proof of its authenticity: All minerals, water, gold, buried treasures or mines underground send out vibrations into the earth, which science now divides into "dowsing zones." The persons who are able to locate these by means of a dowsing rod are super sensitive and are tuned to the vibrations of the earth coming from minerals or metals underground; the power to do this is not in the hands of the gifted dowsers; the divining rod or "wizard rod," as some call it, becomes magnetized by the person holding it, and when these walk inside one of the "dowsing zones," the rod begins moving, either in a circle or else it dips sharply down to the underground water, mineral or ore. Some persons are more sensitive to these vibrations than others and thus the divining rod will work for these better than for others not so gifted.

Dowsing is defined by Webster as, "Searching for underground water or minerals by means of a divining rod." The sensitivity to the presence of minerals, coal, or water underground is called "radiesthesia," meaning a sensitivity to radiations from materials underground. All buried minerals, ores or water create in the earth what is known as a "force field," which gives out radiations that can be picked up by the trained dowsers. The divining rod used may be made of wood, like the forked stick of a peach tree (the popular one with most old-time dowsers), or it can be made of metal. The Marines in Vietnam made their divining rods from boat hangers, which seemed to work perfectly after they were magnetized by the hands of the dowsers.

Science now agrees that man possesses a strange ability to "sense" various substances underground. Another use of the dowsing rod is to locate buried electric cables, whose current creates a "force field" in the earth, which the dowsers can pick up and locate. Scientists who have studied the dowsing rods now call them "electrophysiological instruments." The forked stick, they found, takes on a super-sensitivity to underground objects when clasp-ed by the hands of certain sensitive persons. The mysterious pull on the forked stick sometimes becomes so great, it is almost wrenched out of the hands. Some scientists also claim that man has some "unknown sense organ" in the body that can pick up information from underground minerals. So all over the world today there has been a revival of the ancient art of dowsing and in America we have a number of organizations devoted to the study and practice of this ancient art. So if your grandfather practiced locating a place to dig a well by use of a forked stick, if he were living today he would be hailed as a "psychic earth scientist," whose body was attuned to the vibrations of various substances in the earth.

**MILES FERGUSON STILL IN COLUMBUS HOSPITAL AFTER SURGERY NOV. 17**  
Miles Ferguson of Cannel City, who underwent major surgery Nov. 17 in Veterans Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, remains in the intensive care ward, but doctors report that his condition is all well as could be expected. His address is Miles Ferguson, Ward 5, Veterans Hospital, Columbus, Ohio.

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## FALL IS TREE PLANTING TIME

FRANKFORT, Ky. — "Fall is an excellent time of year to plant trees," said Ron Schureman, director of the Division of Forestry, Department of Natural Resources, which operates three tree nurseries.

The nurseries annually produce 10-12 million tree seedlings for use in reforesting idle land. Schureman said the nurseries started shipping tree seedlings November 16 for fall planting. "Fall planting, unlike spring planting requires a good cover of grass or other vegetation on the ground. This ground cover helps protect the seedling from being pushed out of the ground by freezing and thawing during the winter. Without this ground cover, a tree planter has little chance of success with fall planting."

Anyone wishing to purchase tree seedlings can obtain an order blank from any one Division of Forestry offices, or from County Extension, Soil Conservation Service or Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation offices. Species available this fall include white pine, shortleaf pine, loblolly pine, scotch pine, Virginia pine, black locust, yellow poplar, and black walnut. The seedlings sell for \$10.00 per thousand with the exception of black walnut and scotch pine which are \$15.00 per thousand. All orders should be in multiples of 500.

In the spring, the Division will have several other hardwood seedlings and cottonwood cuttings available in addition to those listed above. Schureman said landowners who want more information or who want assistance could get it by contacting the nearest Division of Forestry office or by writing to Frankfort. The Division has a number of experienced Service Foresters whose job is to assist landowners with tree planting problems or other problems affecting their woodlands.

**ARCHER AND ARNETT RE-ELECTED BY AREA PAINTSVILLE, KY.** — Dr. George P. Scherer of Prestonsburg was re-elected for his fourth term as chairman of the Big Sandy Development District last week at a meeting of the board at Paintsville Country Club. O. J. Arnett of Salyersville was re-elected secretary and Dr. O. T. Dorton of Paintsville was re-elected treasurer.

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## SCIENTIST SAYS VITAMIN C IN BIG DOSES CAN WARD OFF OR CURE COLDS

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PAILO ALTO, Calif. — The common cold can be prevented by a substance that has been in abundant supply for more than 40 years, according to Dr. Linus Pauling of Stanford University. The Nobel-Prize winning scientist says that relatively large doses of ascorbic acid, or Vitamin C, which was first isolated in 1928, is all that people need to take to ward off and treat the common cold or flu.

Many medical authorities say Vitamin C is useless in preventing or treating the common cold, Pauling said, because in the past they have experimented with doses too small to show beneficial effects. Pauling discusses the treatment in a book, "Vitamin C and the Common Cold," to be published Dec. 7 by W. H. Freeman & Co.

Pauling found that most controlled experiments had given subjects no more than 200 milligrams of ascorbic acid each day, or one-fifth of a quarter-teaspoon. Pauling says that humans need from one to four grams of ascorbic acid a day, approximately a level teaspoon of the pure crystalline powder form of ascorbic acid.

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Pauling also suggested that many pharmaceutical manufacturers, medical journals and

some physicians have tried over the years to quash the evidence that Vitamin C is beneficial in preventing colds in order to maintain high profits.

Ascorbic acid is a natural substance found in citrus fruits, leafy vegetables and new potatoes; the body absorbs it in this form. It is nontoxic, Pauling said, unlike aspirin and other medicines sold for treating colds and flu.

In several preliminary experiments, subjects taking doses of 1.5 or more grams of ascorbic acid each day had far fewer and less severe colds than subjects taking placebos, or "fake" pills.

In his book, Pauling offers the following prescription for cold sufferers: Take about one-half level teaspoon of the powder form of ascorbic acid each day. At the first sign of a cold, take about one gram of ascorbic acid each hour until the symptoms disappear. This usually occurs within a few hours. For a few days thereafter take a slightly higher dose than normal since cold symptoms have shown a tendency to reappear if the dosage is dropped to maintenance level all at once.

Pure ascorbic acid can have a laxative effect, so Pauling advises that it be taken after meals. It can be taken all at once after breakfast, or in smaller doses throughout the day.

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## MAYTOWN

BY MRS. OTIS LINKOUS

Nov. 23 — Mrs. Juanita Stamper was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Taulbee of Route 1 Campion, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Effe of Ashland and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stamper of Ezel were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Stamper.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maloney and family visited in Lexington last weekend with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bailey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. B. May of Hazel Green were visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Sterly Fugate and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Linkous and son Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Bailey was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sterly Fugate Wednesday.

Mrs. Shirley Craft and son, Mike, Mr. Don Hilem of Chicago, Ill., Mrs. Ora Lee Nickell of Sandy Hook Mrs. Janet Miller of Eastern State University, Richmond, and Mr. and Mrs. Lutes Rudd of Ezel, were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Evans and family.

Keith Otis Linkous spent most of the day Saturday playing with a friend, Bobby Arnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Murphy and son, Ervin Scott, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Doris Lane and boys Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Otis Linkous and Keith Sunday were Denny Lane, Mrs. Roger Stamper and children, and Annette Merlew.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Smallwood of Marietta, Mrs. Elsie Williams and Sheila were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bailey Sunday.

Clay Rudd of this place had a heart attack last Tuesday night. He was taken to the Campion Medical Clinic and taken on to Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington. He is improving and feeling some better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Helton attended church in Magoffin County Saturday night and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maloney went to Lexington, Sunday night to see Clay Rudd at Good Samaritan Hospital. Mr. Rudd's wife is staying with him. We sure hope he gets well and gets home soon.

Mrs. David Lindon and son, Brian, spent this week with Mrs. Ruby Landrum. Those visiting Mrs. Ruby Landrum Sunday were her daughter, Mrs. Patrick Lindon of Lee City, her father and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Doris Brown of Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Gibbs of Dayton, Ohio, and Mrs. Maurine Fugate of Vandalia, Ohio.

West Liberty, Ky., Nov. 26, 1970

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## MORE THAN 175 ATTEND BANQUET TO HONOR MORGAN HIGH GRIDDERS

Players Awarded, Coaches Presented Ky. Col. Commissions

More than 175 persons attended a banquet at Morgan County High School here last Thursday night honoring this year's Morgan High Blue Devils football team, coaches, and cheerleaders. The event was sponsored by the Boosters Club.

Held in the high school cafeteria, tables were decorated with blue and gold floral arrangements, miniature football favors and placecards handpainted with a blue devil motif. A large wall mural depicting the coaches and team had been drawn by Morgan High art instructor Wendell Sherman and painted by Jerry Turner, seventh grade student.

Instead of a formal banquet, this first of what is hoped will be an annual event, was pot luck buffet style. The menu included baked hams, roast turkeys, meatloaf, many vegetable dishes, salads and with at least 20 cakes and pies — all greatly enjoyed by honorees and guests. Winfred Howard, president of the Boosters, reviewed work of the club this year. Members organized and worked with little league football, sponsored a trip for all players to Morehead State University to see the Eagles play Kentucky State, sold 100 season tickets to varsity games at Morgan County High, have begun organization of little league basketball, and are sponsoring a fund raising basketball game here Dec. 4 between the Morehead State University Freshmen team and University of Kentucky School of Dentistry.

Morgan County businessmen donated trophies which Head Coach Marty Joyce and Assistant Coach Ed Zaremba — former UK football players — presented to outstanding players. Awarded trophies were Terry Risner, most valuable back; Keith Frederick, best lineman; Jeffrey Brown, most improved player; Mike Littler, 110 pound award for displaying most team effort; Edsel Cline, most valuable player; Robert Helton, outstanding senior. Following trophy presentations, team captains Keith Frederick and Mike Littler presented sterling silver julep cups to Coaches Joyce and Zaremba. Mrs. Joyce and Mrs. Zaremba. They then introduced each player, who in turn introduced his parents and his date. State Senator Joe D. Stacy on behalf of Governor Louis B. Nunn and Lt. Governor Wendell Ford, then presented Kentucky Colonel commissions to the two coaches. Coach Joyce, in his first year of coaching at MCHS, praised his team for their efforts and the Boosters Club for their support.

State Representative Joe W. Hancey spoke a few words of encouragement to the players, then gave the benediction. The invocation was spoken by the Rev. Steve Bliffin. In addition to Howard, officers of the Boosters Club are Walter Brown, vice president, and Henry L. Allen, secretary-treasurer. Cheerleaders for the school year were recognized. They are Kathy Howard, Connie Isom, Bonzell Shaver, Lisa Carter and Jamie Blivins. Cheerleader sponsor is Miss Theresa Rowland.

MCHS football teammates are Gerald Amyn, Keith Bradley, Edsel Cline, Gary Dye, Greg Elam, Wendell Fraley, Donald Helton, Keith Frederick, Robert Helton, Tim Holbrook, Steve Howard, Mike Littler, Charles Mullins, Greg Phillips, Randy Risner, Terry Risner, John Will Stacy, John Tate, Greg Wingo, Jeffrey Brown, Hank Allen, Kim Lykins, and managers, Jeff Miller, Steve Allen, Ralph Burton, and Perry Price Allen.

Many "thank you's" were extended from Mr. Howard beyond the evening ended. The room decorations were created by art teacher, Mr. Sherman; his students; the cheerleader sponsor, Miss Rowland; the cheerleaders, and industrial arts teacher, Gene Cline, and his students. Football favors and decorated football cakes were given by Mrs. Jimmie Perry. A blue and gold floral arrangement came from the West Liberty Florist. Home economics teacher, Estelle Nickell, and students arranged the table settings. The football trophies were compliments of Frederick and Brown TV, French Cline Insurance, Riverside Motors, Holbrook Insurance Agency, and Elam Utility.

Mrs. French Cline and Mrs. Buster Phillips were co-chairmen for the event, and Mrs. Drexell Vest MCHS lunchroom supervisor, aided also.

## CLUBS ORGANIZED AT EZEL HIGH SCH.

Principal Conrad Rowland reports that Ezel High School last week organized a number of student clubs and has set aside one hour each month for club activities. Student organizations will include a Pep Club, Drama Club, Folk Dance and Square Dancing Club, Reading Club, and a Library Club. The Student Council also has been re-organized.

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## BOOM IN COAL DOESN'T MEAN KENTUCKY BOOM

(The Courier-Journal)

News that one of the state's top products is having a record year would ordinarily be great news. But announcement that Kentucky coal will bring more than a billion dollars this year is received with mixed feelings. It is good news for the industry, but for the state as a whole it is another soggy reminder of what it could mean if we had a sensible tax on coal.

Naturally the coal operators are pleased when they can dig out 115 million tons of coal and sell it for an incredible average of \$9 a ton. These are the good times that the industry has dreamed about. But good times for whom? Good times for the coal companies, most of them out-of-state firms, and the biggest of them surface miners who turn Kentucky coal into take-home cash and leave us with the mess—the gouged land, the silted creeks, the denuded hills, the acid seepage, the burning gob piles—to live with.

### Tax Could Help Schools

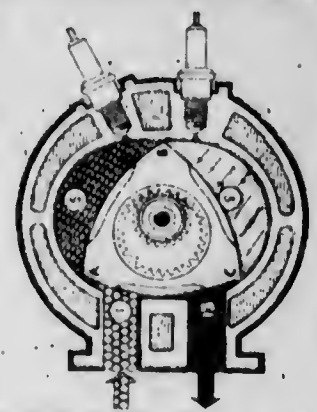
But think of what the state could do with the income if coal were taxed at a sensible level. Even a 10-cents-a-ton tax, which would amount to about one per cent on sales price, would give the state more than \$11 million to help with its school needs. A five per cent tax on sales would bring in \$51.7 million—

enough by itself to cure a lot of the deficiencies the NEA investigators have found in our schools, or to rebuild most of the roads buckled and torn by the coal trucks.

How much longer are we going to permit this resource to be shipped out for the benefit of others before we start taxing it at a fair and reasonable rate? A week ago Sen. Combs, Democratic candidate for governor, in an address to the local Sierra Club chapter, proposed a severance tax on coal, and predicted that, if it were properly levied, the coal industry would not object. Other candidates for governor, and those who run for the next legislature as well, should take a stand on this matter.

Some thought might be given, too, to what the coal counties could do to help themselves if coal lands and coal properties were taxed at a level in line with their actual value as producers of wealth. But once more the list of coal counties of Kentucky contains the names of not all but many of the state's poorest counties, including many that lean most heavily on the rest of the state for help with their public services. It is interesting to consider how these potentially wealthy counties would fare, after all these years of neglect, under a fair coal-land tax policy.

## BUSINESS HERE AND HEREABOUTS



Cross section of Wankel engine shows the three-sided rotor rotating in an elliptical chamber to turn a power shaft.

**\$50 MILLION AUTO ENGINE** — You will be hearing a lot about the WANKEL rotary engine soon. For General Motors signed a \$50 million contract Nov. 10 for non-exclusive rights to build the new type engine, which can be used for autos, trucks and airplanes. The motor was invented by Felix Wankel, a German, in 1959, but it took a Japanese auto company, Toyo Kogyo, six years to perfect it. Now the Japanese company is producing 10,000 autos a month powered by the Wankel. A few have been exported to America.

The Wankel differs from the conventional internal combustion engine this way—In ordinary reciprocating engines, the motion of pistons driving in cylinders is used to turn the power shaft. In the Wankel, the rotation of a multiple piston in an elliptical combustion chamber causes a power shaft on which the piston is mounted to revolve.

The Wankel's size and weight are about one-third that of conventional engines, and it has 40% fewer parts, thus it cost less to manufacture and it is cheaper to operate. It can operate on diesel fuel or cheaper gasoline, and it can be fitted with pollution-control devices to meet new American standards. It does not require oil changes. A quart of oil is simply added each 6000 to 8000 miles.

General Motors have made no definite announcement of their plans for the new rotary engine; they have said only that the licensing agreement would "facilitate further development studies to determine whether it is suitable for GM automotive application." But the Japanese company already has produced 82,000 autos powered by the new engine, and they are stepping up production.

GM bought rights to make the engine from Curtis-Wright which owns American rights for the Wankel, and Volkswagen and Wankel GmbH which own the original rights.

AT MOREHEAD, a 3-man board went into session last week to hear appeals of Rowan County citizens unhappy with tax assessments under the re-assessment of all property under the 100 per cent formula. The County Clerk's office estimated that about 500 taxpayers have filed protests or appeals.

SEN MARLOW W. COOK, announced in Washington that five Manpower Development and Training Act project have been approved for Kentucky, with the federal government providing \$225,966. Programs will be financed jointly by U. S. Department of Labor and U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare. The projects include: Henderson, training for 20 persons

as stenographers and clerks, up to 34 weeks of classes \$41,261. Ashland, 40 weeks for 12 persons to be trained as licensed practical nurses at the Ashland Area Vocational School; Cost, \$42,698. Lexington, training of 20 as clerks and stenographers at the Central Kentucky Vocational School, Cost, \$41,906. Hopkinsville, \$40,341 for training 13 persons as small engine repairmen. A final project, statewide in scope, will offer training for 20 persons in various occupations at various locations. Cost \$59,760.

## CONFERENCE ON STRIP MINING IS HEATED MEETING

LEXINGTON, Ky. — Spokesmen for the coal industry faced conservationists Saturday in a heated exchange over strip mining in Eastern Kentucky.

The scene was a day-long conference sponsored by the Student Council on Pollution and Environment for the Ohio basin region and the University of Kentucky Environmental Awareness Society.

A number of strip mine opponents cried out for a moratorium on surface mining while Fred Luigart Jr., president of the Kentucky Coal Association, revived his proposal for a joint committee of coal people and environmentalists.

"We don't have time for studies," said Monticello High School Principal Eldon Davidson. "We need people who can take the strip mine problem by the throat and choke it to death."

Keith O. Schwab, Federal Water Quality Administration official in Cincinnati and keynote speaker, said 12,000 miles of Eastern Kentucky streams have been degraded by mine acid drainage.

Luigart said the need for electrical power fuel all over the country precluded the possibility of stopping all strip mining. But Tom Ramsey, director of the Pike County Citizens Association, said it was impossible to strip mine in East Kentucky without rapping the environment.

## Ashland Oil Starts Loan Auxiliary For The Disadvantaged

ASHLAND, Ky. — Ashland Oil Co. is establishing a new subsidiary, Equal Opportunity Finance Inc., to make small business loans to socially or economically disadvantaged individuals, the company said.

Equal Opportunity Finance will be headquartered in Louisville, Ky., and have initial lending potential of approximately \$2,250,000 if all private and government financing is utilized. Ashland Oil said. It will be licensed to do business in Kentucky, Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia. Ashland said.

The company is being organized under the Federal Government's minority Enterprise Small Business Investment Company program, a Small Business Administration effort to provide long-term financing and management assistance to disadvantaged individuals.

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## OBSERVATIONS AND PREDICTIONS

**OFFICIAL VOTE RESULTS** — The \$48 million state bond issue filed in 119 counties in the November election — 102,950 to 131,427, the margin of defeat being 28,477 votes. The Nov. 3 election results were certified by the State Election Commission Monday, all but the 3rd District (Louisville) Congressional race which is in litigation. In the 7th District Congressional race, incumbent Democrat Carl D. Perkins polled 50,672 votes to 16,648 for his Republican opponent, Herbert Myers of Louisiana, according to official returns.

**PECAN TREES FOR THE HILLS** — Pecan pies are a delicacy the world over. And now UK's Robinson Sub-Station at Quicksand, Breathitt county, has demonstrated that pecan trees grow well and produce well in the Kentucky hills. They grow best in lowlands and along streams where soil is rich and deep. And the nuts produced by test trees in the hills, though smaller than those produced in the south, are just as good for eating and cooking. Wildlife also prize the pecan kernels, such as turkeys, opossums, and squirrels. Pecan wood also produces fine lumber for flooring and furniture, and it is better than hickory for curing hams, says the Sub-Station. An old rule of thumb, is that pecans will thrive on any spot that will grow gum, elm and honey locust. So landowners in the hills may soon be supplied with pecan seedlings to plant in Appalachia.

**HILL CRAFTS FOR THE POOR** — Grass Roots Craftsmen of Appalachia, Inc., a co-op organized by the Kentucky River Development Council, Jackson, has joined the Kentucky Guild of Artists and Craftsmen and is starting a program for disadvantaged hill people to make native craft articles for sale through the Kentucky Guild shops. These hill craftsmen will produce such items as rocking chairs made from walnut lumber, wooden necklaces, leather vests, quilts, neckties, quilted and pleated shirts, old-time bonnets, candles, etc. More members are joining the co-op each week, says the headquarters at Jackson. The co-op also works closely with the Federated Pig Co-op which supplies gilts to low-income families to raise feeder pigs, which the co-op sells for them.

**SALES REPORT**  
**Farmers Stock Yards**  
FLEMINGSBURG, KY.  
Nov. 21 — HOGS — Receipts 219 — Packers 16.30. Sows 12 to 15.30. Shoats 8 to 13.50 per hd.  
**CATTLE** — Receipts 909 — Steers 19 to 31.50. Heifers 17 to 32.75. Baby Beaves 20 to 34.50. Cutter Cows 10 to 16.20. Fat Cows 17 to 19.60. Springers. Fresh Cows 145 to 245. Bulls 21 to 27.50. Stock Steers 23 to 22.75. Stock Heifers 21 to 27.50. Cows and Calves 180 to 264. Stock Bulls 140 to 308. Stockers 52 to 119.  
**CALVES** — Receipts 162 — Top Veals 43.30. Medium 36.40. Others 26 to 43.00.  
**TOTAL** Receipts 1290.

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West Liberty, Ky., Nov. 26, 1970

## COOPER SEEKS RELEASE OF FUNDS FOR AGRICULTURAL CONSERVATION

Sen. John Sherman Cooper (R-Ky.) has written to Agriculture Secretary Clifford Hardin and President Richard Nixon, urging that funds for the Agricultural Conservation Program be released.

The ACP, which helped about 35,000 Kentucky farmers in 1969 and meant \$5.5 million to them, is in danger of being eliminated.

In its fiscal 1971 budget message, the Office of Management and Budget recommended the elimination of the ACP program. The appropriation bill for fiscal year 1971 has not cleared Congress yet, but funds for continuation of ACP are assured of Congressional approval. Each house has approved an appropriation bill containing

ing money for the program, despite President Nixon's request that the allocation not be made. Congress last summer passed a resolution authorizing the administration to spend at last year's level, pending approval of the appropriation bill. However, the administration has failed to release any funds.

"At a time when there is much concern about ecology and environment, I believe it would be a mistake to sharply reduce or abandon the program," Cooper wrote to President Nixon. "I hope very much that funds will soon be released so that the 1971 Agricultural Conservation Program may be announced, and farmers can make application for ACP participation as in previous years."

## 29 PERCENT OF POPULATION IN MORGAN RECEIVES FOOD STAMPS

The U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that USDA-operated food programs aided 286,270 needy persons in Kentucky in September. This is an increase of 99,970, or 54 percent, over the same period last year.

The boost in participation occurred in the food stamp program, in which 230,371 received aid. This represents an increase of 103,329 over September, 1969, or 81 percent.

Close to \$4 million in bonus food coupons were issued to Kentucky recipients in September 1970 as compared to \$930,087 over the same period last year, USDA's Food and Nutrition Service reports.

The additional participation in the food stamp program is reflected in Morgan County which had 2,338 persons receiving the food coupons in September of this year, compared to 1,258 who received them in September 1969, an increase of 980 persons.

Based on 1970 Census figures, which registered this county's population as 9,736, a total of 29 percent of Morgan County's population is receiving food stamps.

The bonus food coupons are given to supplement low-income family spending and can be exchanged for food at local grocery stores.

In addition to the food stamp program, 55,899 low-income Kentuckians received USDA donated foods through the food donation program during September.

## Incentive Funds To Be Paid On 1970 Wool Sales

Payments will be made beginning about the first of April on marketings of wool and mohair completed in 1970 and reported by January 31, 1971. So reports Ralph Hamilton, Chairman of the Morgan County Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation (ASC) Committee, who reminded producers that the 1970 marketing year under the wool and mohair program ends December 31.

Patience is bitter, but its fruits are sweet.

## VOCATIONAL EDUCATION COURSE TO START AT PCC

PRESTONSBURG, Ky. — A five-week vocational education program consisting of courses in developmental reading, family development, developmental math, how to use the library, etc., will be offered at Prestonsburg Community College beginning Dec. 1. Persons interested in participating should apply at the college admissions office. Cost of the course will be \$35 for the five week program.

## DR. PRICE SEWELL OF JACKSON DIES

Dr. Price Sewell Jr., 57, a Breathitt County physician, died Saturday, Nov. 14, at Good Samaritan Hospital, Lexington, after a two-week illness.

Dr. Sewell was a member of the Jackson City School Board of Education, chairman of the Breathitt County Board of Health, director of the First National Bank at Jackson and member of the board of the Jackson Christian Church.

Survivors include his wife Mrs. Julie R. Sewell; two sons, Dr. Price Sewell III, Savannah, Ga., and James David Sewell, Louisville, and a brother, Dr. Frank Sewell, Mt. Sterling.

## SLAIN UNION MAN'S POST IS FILLED

GRAYSON, KY. — Andy Rogers, 33, of Grayson, has been appointed as International Representative of Dist. 18, Union Brick and Clay Workers of America. Rogers, an employee of General Refractories at Hitting, succeeds the late Albie Messer who was shot to death in Rowan county two weeks ago.

About half the total land area of the United States is devoted to farming.

## NOTE OF APPRECIATION

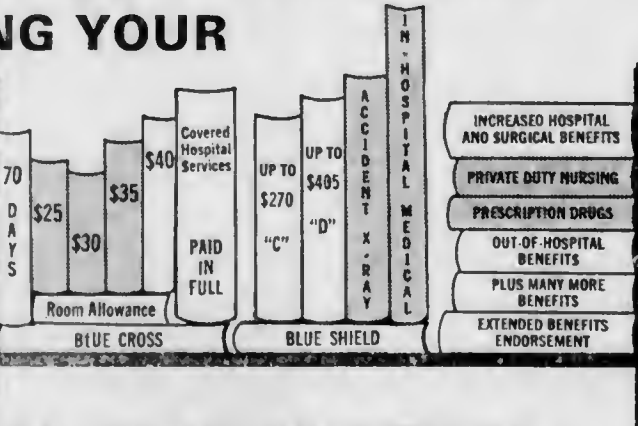
Allen Rest Home and its guests wish to take this opportunity to express their thanks during this Thanksgiving season for the many kindnesses shown during the past year. There have been so many wonderful kindnesses shown from so many people that it isn't possible to name each one individually.

We will say "thank you" to the many ministers who have given so freely of their time to speak with our guests, thanks to the church groups, Homemakers groups, Scouts, Sunday school classes, and the many good citizens for their concern by bringing fruit and candy to the home. These acts of thoughtfulness are greatly appreciated by all. We would not want to forget the doctors who have patiently administered to our sick and to Elam Drug for their part in keeping the home supplied with the medication the guests need.

All these kindnesses help us to make a better place for our senior citizens to live. We say "Thank you very much and trust that all of you will have a wonderful Thanksgiving.

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## Personals

Rev. Otis Sanders and Alden Collins spent part of last week in Virginia deer-hunting.

Mrs. Earl W. Kinner went to Ft. Myers, Fla. Sunday to visit her aunt, Mrs. W. B. Booth, who has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haney and Lyle and Kathy of Dayton, Ohio spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney and Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and Joy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Adkins and Joy had as Wednesday supper guests Mrs. Lizzie Stevens of Lexington, Mrs. Mary Gevedon and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Helton of Bradenton, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haney.

Miss Brenda Gilliam of Elamton was a recent guest of Joy Adkins.

Ronnie DeHart of Wrigley spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clayton DeHart and Billy.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey R. Keeton of Keeton Heights entertained the following to a pre-Thanksgiving dinner on Sunday, Nov. 22: Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Keeton and their son and daughter, Mike and Karen Keeton, their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Eddings, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dorman, all of Clarksville, Ind.

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## Homemakers Council Discusses Proposed County Club Projects

The Morgan County Homemakers Council met at the Licking Valley RECC Building Monday afternoon, Nov. 22. Mrs. Harold Rose presided.

Three clubs were represented at the meeting.

Home Agent Mary Ann Foudray asked that club presidents that could do so to attend the meeting set for Monday, Nov. 30 at the VFW Hall at Index to lay plans for a recreation center for the county.

Programs for the coming year were discussed and several topics were discussed, all of which will be referred to the Planning Committee.

A Red Bud Festival for April was taken under consideration and each club president was asked to discuss it with their members. Also discussed was the possibility of instituting a Sorghum Festival next fall.

Each club president was asked to explain the Rhonda McKenzie Fund Drive to their members and take part in the drive.

It was also noted that on Saturday, Dec. 5, a Homemakers Bazaar will be held in Mt. Sterling. It was thought that some local homemakers may like to attend since one of the recommendations for next year's Morgan County program is a Morgan County Homemakers Bazaar.

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## FLORRESS

Nov. 23 — Darrell Williams and son, David, of Dayton, Ohio and a friend, Nigel Rippon of Kettering, Ohio were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Williams. Mr. Rippon and his wife are originally from England and have been in the United States approximately 3 years. Other visitors of the Williamses were Mrs. Bee Williams, Ruie Williams, and Mr. and Mrs. Kennell Lewis.

Tim, Denise, Terry, Darlene, and Richard Gamble have been staying in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Conley the past week while their mother, Tessie Gamble, was in a Lexington hospital. Their father, Office D. Gamble, came Tuesday to tell them they have a new sister.

Robin Lewis was Sunday dinner guest of Linda Conley. Visiting the Conley children Sunday afternoon were Charles R. Johnson, Charles, Reo, and Joe Lewis. Others in the Conley home Sunday were Office D. Gamble and Jimmie Easterling.

Billy Conley was an overnight guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Conley, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Nickell and daughter of Dayton, Ohio visited over the weekend with Reb McClure and Ruie Williams.

Mr. William Pelfrey and son, James, of Kettering, Ohio spent from Saturday until Sunday with his parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey and Fawna.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Nickell of Lebanon, Ohio visited over the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell.

Clifford Nickell of Lebanon, Ohio visited while last Tuesday with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. E. T. Nickell.

Sorry to hear of Dennie Mullins of Elamton falling and breaking his leg. He is in a Lexington hospital. We all wish him a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Bee Pelfrey at Route 3 West Liberty.

Ova Pelfrey and Scott Hopkins both took a load of tobacco to market Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Johnson of Fairborn and Ruby Lemaser of Texas visited with Dora Easterling and the Lemaster family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Tyree of War Creek visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Conley and Miranda Easterling.

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Miranda remains about the same.

Fawna Pelfrey and some friends attended church Sunday at the New Salem Church.

Greg Kinner of West Liberty spent from Friday until Saturday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kinner, Jr. and son, Greg, visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry McGuire and Kenny visited Sunday afternoon with the Ralph Fraley family in Elliott County.

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## LEGISLATIVE DISTRICT CHANGE IS BEING TALKED IN THIS REGION

The Morehead News reports that sentiment "is growing" that our Legislative District for State Representative should be changed to include Rowan, Bath and Menifee Counties.

The district presently is composed of Rowan, Fleming and Robertson. Gov. Nunn is supposed to call a special session of the General Assembly soon to redistrict the state according to new population figures.

Says The Morehead News—"A legislative district should have a total population of about 31,000. Rowan, Bath and Menifee show around 28,000 inhabitants. If you throw in Morgan, another Cave Run reservoir county, the district would be top-heavy over the 31,000."

"We never pose a problem without an answer. How about a district composed of Morgan, Menifee and Bath counties, and also including the City of Morehead and the area (around Clearfield and Upper Farmers west of the Leisure road? That would round off to about 31,000."

"The advantage is that Rowan would be represented by two Representatives. That would be good for Morehead State University, even though both members came from counties other than Rowan. The more we think on this one, the better we like it. Problem is, will the General Assembly, suspicious as a bride, when her husband stays out to midnight, see it like we do."

## NEW MARTIN COUNTY MINE SIGNS 30-YR. CONTRACT WITH DUKE POWER

The A. T. Massey Coal Co. of Richmond, Va., signed a contract this week with the Mill-Power Supply Co. of Durham, N. C. to supply two million tons of coal annually for 30 years from mines in Martin County, Ky. for the Duke Power Co. for its new steam electric plant at Delevs Creek Station in North Carolina.

The coal will be produced by Massey's wholly-owned subsidiary, the Martin County Coal Corp. of Inez out of its new mines being developed on Wolfe Creek in Martin County on lands leased from Pocahontas Land Corp., the land division of Norfolk & Western Railway. Massey owns lease on a reserve of 100 million tons of coal in Martin County.

And the N & W Railway presently is engaged in building a 24-mile spur line from Kermitt, W. Va. into Martin County to tap the reserves.

Massey also announced it had contracted with a Bluefield, W. Va. construction firm to build an ultra-modern coal processing plant capable of loading unit trains of 10,000 tons of coal each, and a thermal coal-drying plant to process the coal.

Martin County's coal is of low ash content, the best for fueling electric power plants. N & W will haul the coal to Duke's North Carolina plant. N & W's spur line also is being built to tap coal reserves on nearby Rockcastle Creek in Martin County, tunneling through a hill from the head of Wolfe Creek to the head of Rockcastle.

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## HUNTER DIES OF HEART ATTACK

Rev. Donald Durwood Burnett, 45, of Prestonsburg, suffered a heart attack Monday while on a hunting trip in Magoffin County and died before being removed to a hospital.

He was born in Granite City, Ill. and was serving as a missionary with the Irene Cole Baptist Church in Prestonsburg. He was a World War II veteran. Surviving are the wife, two sons in the armed forces, two daughters and a sister and three brothers.

A wise old weekly newspaper editor way out in Rupert, Idaho penned these few words: "Give a man a fish and he will eat for a day; teach him to fish and he will eat for a lifetime."

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## FORMER MORGAN RESIDENT DIES IN OHIO NOV. 22

Maxie Fannin of Fairborn, Ohio, a former Morgan County, died Sunday, Nov. 22, in Fairborn, Ohio after suffering a stroke two weeks ago. Mr. Fannin lived at Wrigley before moving to Fairborn about 20 years ago.

He was a son of the late John and Polly Carter Fannin of Elliott County. Mr. Fannin was one of 12 children, all of whom are deceased except two sisters, Mrs. Eva Kay of Cincinnati and Mrs. Mae Comery of Phoenix, Ariz. He was a brother of the late Mrs. Oscar Clevenger of Wrigley.

## NATIVE OF MINE FORK DIES MON.

Mrs. Minnie Belle Gilliam Heacock, 34, of St. Petersburg, Fla., and a native of Morgan County, died in a St. Petersburg hospital Monday after a sudden illness.

She was born on Mine Fork, a daughter of Add Gilliam and the late Alta Owen Gilliam, and had lived in Ashland before moving to Florida.

Surviving are the father, the husband, Gale Heacock, two sons and a daughter at home; one brother, Willie Gilliam of Columbus, Ohio and three sisters, Mrs. Alfred Deogal of East St. Louis, Ill., Mrs. Morton Wheeler of Ashland and Mrs. Martin Stone of Columbus, O.

## LEWIS WALKER DIES SUDDENLY; RITES TUESDAY

Lewis Walker, 45, of Route 1 West Liberty died Sunday at the home of Ben Frank Perry, with whom he had resided for 20 years. Mr. Walker died suddenly at about 9:30 a.m. while at the barn bulking down tobacco. Death was attributed to an apparent heart attack.

He was a native of Hazard and had served in the armed forces during World War II.

Immediate survivors are his mother, Mrs. Emma Farler of Jeff, Ky., and a sister, Mrs. Elmer Baker, also of Jeff.

Funeral was conducted at 1 p.m. Tuesday at the Herald and Stewart Funeral Home by Rev. Charles Hutchinson. Burial was in the Henry and Perry Cemetery under the direction of Herald and Stewart Funeral Home.

## James Fugate Named Future Farmer Of The Month By Ezel Chap.

James Fugate, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lane of Ezel, has been selected as Future Farmer of the Month by members of the Ezel High School FFA Chapter. James, a senior, is FFA president this year and was chosen because of his excellent farming program.

The young farmer has 20 head of beef cattle, five head of show calves, and is raising six hogs. He also raised a one-acre crop of feed corn for his hogs and 20 acres of hay.

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## MOTHER AND SON, FORMER MORGAN RESIDENTS, DIE

Death claimed two former Morgan County residents, a mother and her son, on Sunday. Mrs. Elizabeth McKenzie Cole, 90, died at 3 a.m. Sunday at age City, Ky., and her son, Finley D. Cole, 67, a Lexington businessman, died at Central Baptist Hospital there at 4:30 p.m. the same day.

Mrs. Cole was born in Morgan County, a daughter of the late Francis and Lou Emma Ilaney McKenzie.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. Raymond J. Jordan, and Mrs. W. E. Fain of Lexington, and Mrs. George K. Fisher of Cave City; one son, J. Paul Nickell of Lexington; a sister, Mrs. Curtis Hughes of Bradenton, Fla.; a brother, Boyd McKenzie of Middletown, Ohio; six grandchildren, and 10 great-grandchildren.

Funeral was conducted for Mrs. Cole at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday at the W. R. Millard Mortuary in Lexington by Rev. Donald R. Heeren. Burial was in the Lexington Cemetery.

Mr. Cole who died following a long illness, was owner of Midland Radiator Service in Lexington, and was a member of the Methodist Church.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mattie Hawkins Cole; two daughters, Mrs. Allen Buchanan of Statesboro, Ga., and Mrs. Ralph Rector of Lexington; one son, William Gaines Cole of Lexington, and six grandchildren. He was a first cousin of Mr. Homer "Pete" Rose of West Liberty.

Rites for Mr. Cole were conducted at 10 a.m. Wednesday at Kerr Brothers Funeral Home in Lexington by Rev. J. T. Harmon and Rev. W. P. Fryman. Burial was in Blue Grass Memorial Gardens.

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

### Strip Mining's Evils

I endorse the Oct. 29 letter of A. Patrick Schneider of Lexington and Adrian Combs of Hazard on the evils of strip-mining and their courage in "telling it like it is."

The full-page ads by the self-styled "surface miners" are propaganda designed to fool the people as to the dangers of strip-mining. They also appease the guilty conscience of these ruthless men who are destroying the beautiful mountains of Kentucky. They put out this propaganda to get people to believe they can "restore the land."

How can you reset magnificent oaks that are uprooted and pushed over steep slopes? How can you reseed the bare face of a fine old cliff that has been blasted away to get the coal? We now have a three-year study plan on strip-mining, but before that ends the mountains of Kentucky will be ruined. I don't need three years to study the evils of strip-mining; in one hour's time I can stand on top of the mountains and view hundreds of miles of ruined scenery and millions of tons of loose earth, rocks and tree-tops heaped on steep slopes, ready to come down into the streams.

They say strip-mining is necessary for the economy. Whose economy? It is making wealthy men out of the coal companies and their stock holders and leaving the rest of us paupers.

RUFUS M. REED  
Box 86, Lovely, Ky.

## COUNTY BUYS 7 ACRES NEAR MT. STERLING

MT. STERLING, KY. — Montgomery Fiscal Court has voted to buy a seven-acre site from Billy Warner on the Chevalier Lane just outside the city limits for \$5,000 an acre, or \$35,000. The site will be used for garage and storage of the road equipment.

## FARM LOANS



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## Annual Thanksgiving Supper At Old Grassy Set Thursday At 6:30

The annual Community Thanksgiving Supper at Old Grassy Christian Church will be held this year at 6:30 p.m. on Thanksgiving Day. All members of the community are invited. The young people of the church will have charge of the program following the supper.

## SAM MELTON, 81, OF OPHIR PASSES TUESDAY A.M.

Samuel Melton, 81, retired farmer of Ophir (Lost Creek section) died suddenly at his home early Tuesday morning. He was born at Ophir March 1, 1889 a son of Will and Alice McKenzie Melton, and had lived there all his life.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Maggie Young of Cottle, and four sons, Elm Helton of Rt. 3 West Liberty, Jay Helton of Ophir, Wayne Helton of Mire Fork, and Jess Helton of Columbus, Ohio.

Funeral was to be conducted at the Pendleton Primitive Baptist Church at Ophir Thursday morning at 11 o'clock with Elders Buell Cantrell and Lonnie Wright officiating. Burial in the Helton family cemetery with Herald & Stewart Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

## Elementary Net Tourney Slated At Morgan High

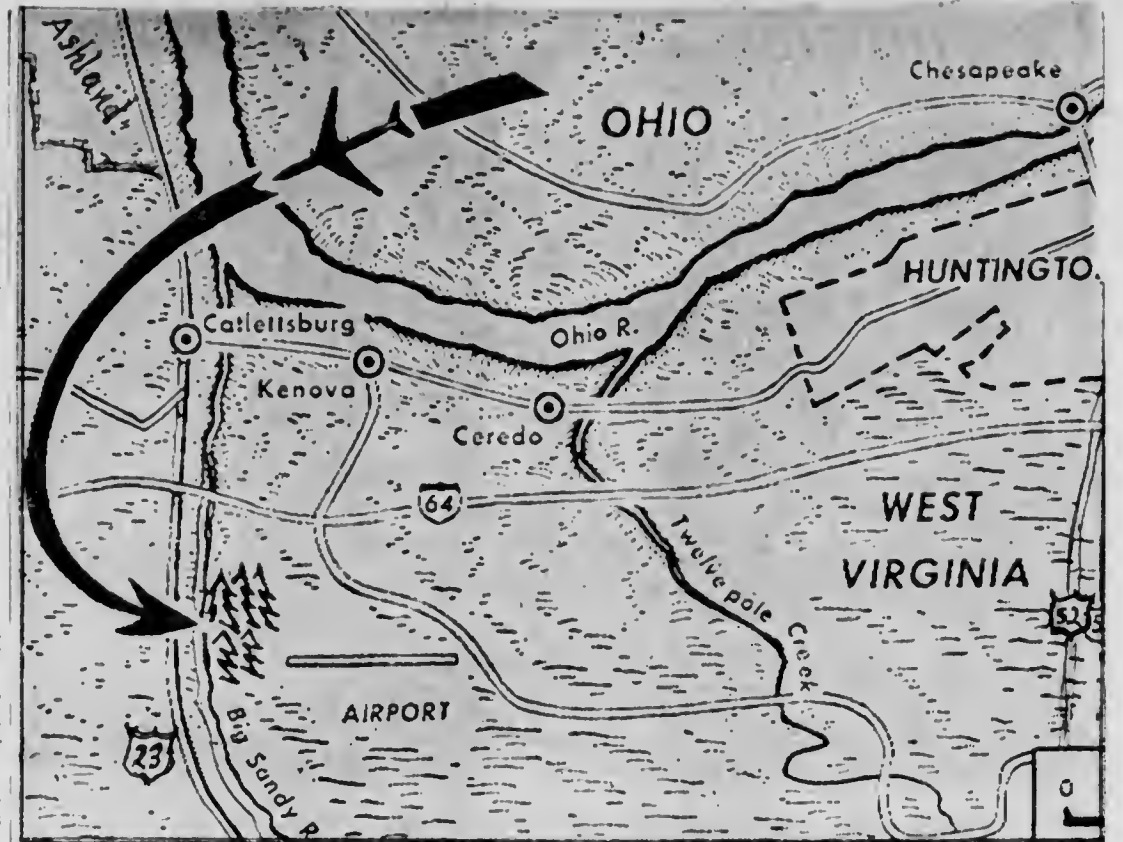
Competition is expected to be stiff and the action lively during the annual Morgan County Elementary Invitational Basketball Tournament which starts Monday, Nov. 30, at the Morgan County High School gym.

Admission to the games will be 25 cents for everyone.

Pairings for the tourney are as follows—  
Monday, Nov. 30, at 7 p.m.—Morgan County Elementary vs. Isonville Elementary, and Menifee County Elementary vs. Crockett Elementary, in the top bracket.

Wednesday, Dec. 1, at 7 p.m.—Sandy Hook Elementary vs. Wrigley Elementary, and Cannel City Elementary vs. Ezel Elementary, in the lower bracket.

Semi-finals will be played Monday, Dec. 7, and the finals will be held at 1 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 9.



ROUTE OF ILL-FATED PLANE — The DC-9 jetliner bringing Marshall University's team and fans home from a game in North Carolina followed a normal flight pattern (as shown by arrow) when approaching Tri-State Airport Saturday night in fog and rain. The plane circled round the field into Kentucky, then circled back across Big Sandy River to approach the field from the west. A high hill rises on the West Virginia side of Big Sandy, and the plane clipped the tops of trees on the ridge a mile-and-a-half from the airport, continued across a small valley through which runs Rt. 75 and hit another hillside, then cartwheeled upside down and exploded in flames, killing all 75 aboard.

## MAN FOUND SLAIN, FROZEN ON FARM IN MONTGOMERY

MT. STERLING, KY. — The body of a young white man in his early 20's was found stabbed and beaten to death Monday morning on the farm of Robert Gatewood on the Stepstone Road near Mt. Sterling.

A hunter found the body, laying about 200 yards from the road in a hollow near a fallen tree. Coroner A. L. Mitchell said the man had been stabbed in the left side of the neck and in the right side of the body under the rib cage. The left side of the face had been smashed. Mitchell placed time of death Sunday afternoon or night.

Only identification found on the body was a 1968 Danville High School ring, with the initials WEB inside.

Coroner Mitchell said the man was about six feet tall, weighed approximately 150 pounds, had sandy hair, and a scar above the left ear. He wore no shoes or jacket, but was clad in blue denim slacks and a light blue shirt. The pocket of the slacks had been torn and contained only a comb, handkerchief and one penny.

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## EZEL

BY ROSE HENRY

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Cole are the proud parents of a girl, born Nov. 21 at Mary Chiles Hospital in Mt. Sterling. She weighed 7 lb. and 1 oz. and has been named Donna Elizabeth. Mrs. Cole is the former Dianne Denniston.

Speck Patrick is in the University Hospital at Lexington. Speck had a light stroke in Lexington Thursday. He is getting along very well.

Mr. and Mrs. Orban Adams of Dayton are visiting with Mrs. Ada Henry for a few days. Mrs. Henry has been with the Adams family for a few weeks in Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay Callwell of Middletown were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Homer Patrick and Terry and other relatives recently. While here they attended church at Pine Grove.

Mrs. Edna Patrick has returned home after visiting in Winchester with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tabor. Mrs. Patrick has had the flu.

Mrs. Terry Linkous of Dayton was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Salyer. Nathan is better. He is getting over pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Solt of Carroll, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Bary Stoller of Beverly, Ohio were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eli McGuire and other relatives Saturday and Sunday. The Eli McGuires went home with the Solt and Stollers for a few days visit.

S. A. Mark S. Lee of the U. S. Navy, has completed his basic training at Great Lakes, Ill., and has been enjoying a two weeks leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lee of Camargo, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bartley of Ezel. Mark leaves the 16th for San Diego California. Others visiting Mr. and Mrs. Steve Bartley the past week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bartley and little grandson, James, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Loveless, all of Dayton, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Camargo, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bartley were visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Osa Montgomery of Frenchburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Easterling and son of Richmond were visiting Mrs. John Easterling and family Saturday and Sunday.

Not every dead-beat is a pauper — some are well-to-do.

## POMP

BY MRS. BEN COX

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Don Brown of Xenia, Ohio visited Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cox the past weekend. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brown of Wrigley and Florida and Maury Jane Cox of West Liberty. Miss Dorothy Brown of Painesville, Ohio accompanied them and visited relatives in Wrigley. They all returned home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Perry and daughter of Ohio spent a weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryon Perry. They were joined on the weekend by Mrs. Donald McKenzie and daughter of West Liberty.

Mrs. W. S. Cox called on the writer and husband one afternoon last week. Other callers were Mrs. Emma Whitte and Clyde Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Johnson visited their daughter, Mr. and Ms. Paul Hall and Leanna of Viper, Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Cottle and daughter of Middletown, Ohio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClure and family.

Mrs. Grace Cisco of Wrigley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McClure and sons.

## THE WONDERFUL TRINITY

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THREE IN ONE  
Triple the strength of One, are three Bound together by cords of Love and Humility. The Father's confidence in His Chosen One Best, was revealed on Calvary after the fact. The same Spirit that raised Him from the dead, has shown JESUS is coming again as HE said. The signs of His coming are so wonderfully clear how can we doubt that His coming is very near? Those who are watching will be ready to go. Let us all be ready — the moment no one can tell.

—George C. Allen  
Route 1, Box 15  
West Liberty, Ky.

Publicity, like fire, can be friend or foe.  
Not every man who makes money is a real success.

High flying causes more than airplane accidents.

## WOODSBEND

BY EVE MAY

Nov. 24 — Mrs. Oscar Leach was called away to Paris, Ky. due to the death of a daughter-in-law. We extend sympathy to the family.

Mrs. Gary Williams and Herbert Bailey of Omer are in Lexington with Mrs. Thelma Bailey who is seriously ill at the UK Medical Center. Mrs. J. S. Roberson and Buford Brewer visited her last week also.

Byron E. May of San Francisco, California and Leslie May of Dayton are spending a few days with Mrs. Byron May and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas May and Page.

Junior Terrell of Cannel City has been painting the interior of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terrell's house.

Mrs. Stewart Adkins has returned home from West Liberty.

Mrs. H. G. Sheets, Linda Sheets, and Phillip Tenz were at Morehead on Sunday to visit Mrs. Joe Carpenter, who is critically ill, due to a cerebral hemorrhage.

A huge crowd attended the bridal shower on Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. H. G. Sheets for her granddaughter, Linda Sheets, bride-elect of Phillip Terry of Cannel City. (A story will follow later.)

November has brought us wind, fallen trees, rain, hail, snow, hot days, cold days, smog, and yet we see golden chrysanthemums, nesting bluebirds, petunias, and blooming dandelions.

P.S. — The temperature fell last night to 12 degrees.

## WEST LIBERTY — ROUTE 1

By Julia Maybabb  
Mr. and Mrs. Drexell Williams and Tommy of Middletown, Ohio were here on Saturday, Nov. 14, in observance of his mother's birthday. She was real glad they got to come. They brought a number of nice gifts which we appreciated very much.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kemplin and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maybabb were showing in West Liberty Monday.

Mrs. Delbert Peyton of this place underwent surgery in a Lexington hospital last week and is doing fine.

BANKER GIVES \$13,000 TO LEE'S JR. COLLEGE  
Cynthia bank president Tracy Farmer and wife last week gave \$13,000 to Lee's Junior College of Jackson, Miss. Farmer, a native of Lee county, is an alumnus of Lee's and Mr. Farmer is one of its trustees.

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## PARK HILL

BY CASSIE LEWIS

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Lykins and family of Dayton, Ohio spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cox and his mother, Mrs. Vesta Lykins, who makes her home here with her daughter, Mrs. Newt Cox. Mrs. Lykins has been on the sick list for several days.

Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newt Cox were Mr. and Mrs. Ollie K. McGuire of Ezel, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Fairchild, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Davis.

Prater Caskey and daughters, Mrs. Frieda Wells and Mrs. Mary Jewell Barker, all of Fairborn, Ohio, spent from Sunday till Tuesday here with friends and relatives. They visited with Mrs. Darwin Shocke and family and Arcia Caskey. They also called on Stewart Caskey and family of Pomph. Holle Cox and H. B. and Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Gevedon of Malone.

Mrs. Charles Black is improving nicely from her recent operation.

Ollie K. McGuire and Newt Cox were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lewis Sunday afternoon.

Willie Pennington is on the sick list. He plans to go to Morehead Wednesday for x-rays.

## SPAWS CREEK

By Maggie Lee Perkins  
Nov. 13 — Mr. and Mrs. Orville Perkins of Spaw Creek announce the birth of a son. He has been named David Mark and weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces at birth. Grandparents are Mrs. Beatrice Perkins of Dayton and Mrs. Ida Coffee of this community.

Mrs. Virgil Wright of Kings Mills, Ohio was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Perkins.

Recent weekend guests of Mrs. Ollie Vest and Joan were Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Vest and Dale Vest of Dayton, Ohio and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Benton and children of Morehead.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Perkins and Ida Coffee of this community and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perkins and son of Neal Valley visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Perkins and Paul and Mattie and Charlie of Peyton.

ALTAR-ACTION  
The more perfect a man is the more girls try to altar him.  
—Sky Anchor, Key West.

"Don't be silly," replied Mrs. Green. "He doesn't even suspect anything."

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## WRECK CLAIMS LIFE OF YOUTH IN MENIFEE CO.

Michael Gerald Stamper, 17, Frenchburg, died as a result of injuries received in an auto accident at 10:30 p.m. Friday on KY 26 near Frenchburg.

Born Feb. 23, 1953, at Frenchburg, he was a son of Lloyd and Grace Day Stamper. He was a senior at Menifee County High School.

Surviving, in addition to his parents, are nine sisters, Mrs. Audrey Paer of Salem, Wis., Mrs. Inogene Boyd of Lexington, Mrs. Magaline O'Connor of Ironton, Mrs. Millie Walters of Carlisle, Ohio, Mrs. Sandra Hart of Louisville, Mrs. Joyce Stamper of Kansas City, Mo., Mrs. Francis Almed of Chicago, and Miss Joan Stamper and Miss Dianne Stamper, both at home; two brothers, Derl Stamper, of Carlisle, Ohio and Jimmie Stamper of Dayton, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted at 1 p.m. Monday at the Hazel Green Methodist Church by Rev. Oliver Dalton and Rev. Harrison Ratliff. Burial in the Holoby Cemetery at Hazel Green, The Herald and Stewart Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

## OBITUARY

WILLIAMS

Arnold Lester Williams, son of the late Claude Williams and Emma Hutchinson Williams, was born at Roscoe, Elliott County, Ky., on May 1, 1911 and departed this life as a result of a traffic accident Nov. 7, 1970 at the age of 59 years, 6 months and 6 days. The accident occurred in the city limits of Sandy Hook after 4 p.m.

On April 3, 1936 he was united in marriage with Miss Mary Hannah Hunter of Sandy Hook. To this union were born three children: Emma Louise who died a short time after birth, Carole Ann (now Mrs. Delmae Dickerson) and a son, John Claude, at home, who with their mother survive. He is further survived by his only grandchild, John Brett Dickerson who was a few days ago.

Arnold attended school at Roscoe while in the grades, then he attended high school at Crockett High School in Morgan County and Sandy Hook High School, after graduation he attended Morehead State University, Morehead, Ky. He taught in the Elliott County School system for eight terms. He was a successful teacher.

He entered the military service of the United States, serving overseas in World War II for nineteen months beginning in November 1943. This time was served in the 9th Infantry Division, where he served as a Sharp Shooter in four major campaigns. He received the Purple Heart for wounds received in service, as well as a number of other medals.

For a number of years Arnold had been employed as a pipe fitter on many construction jobs. He was a member of Local 243 Plumbers and Steamfitters Union.

Since January 1959, he had served as Appeal Agent for Local Board No. 21.

He was a man of unusual intelligence and possessed the traits of character which made him a kind and loving husband and father, a true friend. He will long be remembered by his neighbors and friends who knew him well, as an honest and upright man in every phase of his life. He will be long remembered by numerous relatives and friends.

In addition to his wife and children he is survived by the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Beulah Ritchie of South Point, Ohio, Mrs. Bertha Lyon of Centerville, Ohio, Mrs. Christine Adkins of Waynesville, O., and Mrs. Beatrice Moss, of Gaffney, S. Car., and two brothers, Ernest and Windle Williams, both of Beaver, Ohio.

Funeral services were conducted Monday at 2 p.m. at the Lewis and Ferguson Funeral Home in Sandy Hook by Rev. Charles Vaasant and Rev. David King. Interment in the Elliott County Memory Gardens.

## EDUCATION

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## OBITUARY

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William Preston Lacy, son of the late Daniel Green and Violet Stacy Lacy, was born November 17, 1894, and departed this life October 30, 1970, at the age of 85 years, 11 months, and 13 days.

He was married to Mary Seaff November 13, 1908, and to this union were born 12 children. A son, Elsworth Lacy, preceded him in death a few months ago. Those living are: Mrs. Daisy Jones, Blanche, Rex, Lawrence, and Stewart, all of Cannel City; Ray and Preston, Jr., of Dayton, Ohio; Cozetta Lewis and Gay Light of Franklin, Ohio; and Bertha Holt of Cincinnati, Ohio.

In addition to the ones mentioned he leaves to mourn his loss, one brother, Perry Lacy, Tarpo Springs, Florida; 33 grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; one great-great grandchild, and an extensive host of relatives and friends.

He has been a Christian almost 47 years, and spoke freely of his faith in Christ. For 22 years when money was almost a stranger, he labored hard as a law enforcement officer, not only for the benefit and protection of his own family but worked all hours of the night without pay for the safety and protection of the entire community and county in which he lived. For 20 years he was custodian of the Cannel City High School.

He was never physically strong, but no man ever stretched every fiber of his very soul more to their extremity as he stayed faithful at the helm of the ship looking ahead for the storms, consulting life's compass for the sense of direction and holding the wheel steady for the sake of his household and those about him.

In the 8th and 14th, and 41st verses of the 27th chapters of Acts, the apostle Paul gives life with three true aspects. First, we come to the fair Havens of happiness. Next there arose the winds and storms of Euroclydon over which we have no control. Then falling into a place where two seas, life and death, met, the old house fell apart.

Job said we have hopes that if a tree is cut down it will sprout again. Twelve children, 48 grand and great-grandchildren are 60 sprouts. Who knows numerically or how much will grow from, or how far the progeny will reach, or how much good will be accomplished through the offsprings of this tree.

Prominence hasn't been an accident in the life of any of us, but he has brought train loads of faithfulness, sunshine, love and concern for his family and friends.

May God help us this day to wrap our mantle about us and join hand with Elisha and go down and stand in the banks of the Jordan, and when life's work is finished we can go where the sun sets and springtime never takes a vacation. (Pd.)

## WHITE OAK

By Mrs. James Lacy

Nov. 7 — Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy, Cletis and Diana Potter, and Johnny Price visited Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Griffiths and Alicia Tuesday evening.

Susan Griffiths was the Tuesday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Griffiths and Alicia. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Vance and family of Ohio visited her mother, Mrs. Nannie Burgett over the weekend.

Reed Carpenter spent Friday night with his grandmother, Mrs. Cora Lacy and Mrs. Vivian Stewart and George.

Cletis Potter attended the football game at Flemingsburg Friday night.

Miss Linda Casebolt of Morehead University spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Nannie Burgett.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lacy, Johnny Price, Cletis and Diana Potter were the Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Joe Lacy and Vickie of Jones Creek.

Visiting your writer over the weekend were Tommie Potter of Hazel Green, Mrs. Georgie Johnson of Spaw Creek, and Gertie Wright of Kings Mills, Ohio.

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## DEFERMENTS . . .

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ed his deferment continued. "All deferments are issued for limited periods of time. Generally for one year, and it is the responsibility of the registrant to submit proof for an extension of his deferment. The local board will reopen and reclassify any registrant whose current deferment is expiring and whose file does not contain current information for consideration of further deferment," the local board secretary said.

"Our purpose is to achieve fairness to all registrants in determining their priority selection on January 1 and we shall be glad to counsel with any young man during official office hours. Mrs. Rose said. Local Board No. 74 is open Monday through Friday from 6:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## SENATOR COOK'S TOP AIDE JOINS EMBERTON

WASHINGTON — Mitchell McConnell of Louisville, a top aide of Senator Marlow W. Cook, has resigned to become a campaign aide for Thomas Emberton who will seek the Republican nomination for governor in 1971. Emberton is a former assistant to Gov. Nunn and former member of the State Public Service Commission.

INVITATION  
FOR BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the Morgan County Fiscal Court in the Office of the County Judge, Gene Allen, West Liberty, Kentucky, until 2:00 p.m., Thursday, December 10, 1970, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud for furnishing the Specifications and Drawings prepared by Donald B. Shelton, Architect/Engineer and Associates, Lexington, Kentucky. The Work to be Bid Upon: Morgan County Hospital for the Morgan County Fiscal Court West Liberty, Kentucky.

Proposals will be received as follows: General Construction, including Mechanical and Electrical.

Plans, Specifications and Contract Documents may be examined at the following places: Office of the Owner(s); Donald B. Shelton, Architect/Engineer and Associates, 2891 Richmond Road, Lexington, Kentucky; or Builders Exchange Room(s). Copies of the Plans, documents, and further information may be secured from the Architect, Donald B. Shelton.

Bids must be accompanied by a bid bond or bid check. The Owner reserves the right to reject any and all bids and to waive informalities.

—Gene Allen  
Morgan Co. Judge.  
(Pub. Nov. 12, 19, 26, Dec. 3) C 11-12-4t

## ELAMTON

BY MRS. HAGER HAMILTON

Nov. 23 — Mr. and Mrs. Ova Pelfrey and daughter of Florence visited awhile Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bee Pelfrey.

Mr. L. C. McGuire of Louisville is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ova Maxey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Franklin and Stanya Lea and Mr. and Mrs. Scottie Hamilton and LeAnna Scott of West Liberty had dinner with the Hager Hamiltons Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bee Pelfrey visited awhile Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Williams had dinner with Mrs. Myrtle Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hager Hamilton attended OES School at Hazard Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Pelfrey and their daughter and family of Middletown, Ohio visited with Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Mullins and Mrs. Allen. Denise had a bad fall Thursday evening and when they took him to the hospital they found he had a broken hip. He is in St. Joseph at Lexington.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Nickell and children of Lebanon, Ohio visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Bradley and Rev. and Mrs. Arlie Nickell, recently.

## TOBACCO THIEVES IN ROWAN REPORTED

MOREHEAD, Ky. — Rowan County tobacco farmers were warned Wednesday to maintain a careful watch for their tobacco barns. Sheriff Carl Jones said he had received reports of burglary thefts, usually in 10 to 30 stick lots from a barn. The thieves can add small amounts of stolen tobacco to their own crops without "quota" detection on the auction floor.

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## ODDS AND ENDS

By Earl Kinner, Jr.

Dorsey R. Keeton reports that he, too, had some large turnips in his patch this year. Mr. Keeton dropped in to inspect the large turnip grown by Leonard DeBord which was featured in this column last week, and said he gave one away from his patch that was larger than the one grown by Mr. DeBord. Mr. Keeton said he sowed his at the same time Mr. DeBord sowed his whopper, around Aug. 20. The trick to getting good, large turnips, Mr. Keeton said, is to fertilize with phosphate and not sew seeds too thickly.

Each week, The Courier goes into 2,000 homes in Morgan County where it is read by family members and often as not is then lent to neighbors. Also, each week, around 1,600 Couriers are mailed outside the County. Among these are several, which go to servicemen overseas. This week we were pleased to learn that The Courier was responsible for getting two friends together in Vietnam, who otherwise would probably have gone their separate ways without ever knowing they were within just a few miles of each other. Spc. 4 Ronnie Salyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Salyer, of White Oak, who has been stationed in Vietnam for several months, receives The Courier by mail every week. Recently, he read in the hometown paper about his friend and former neighbor, Pfc. Larry Bert Holbrook, being stationed in Vietnam. The item gave Holbrook's location and unit and Spc. 4 Salyer got on a telephone and called Holbrook's unit. Both soldiers nearly fell over when Larry Bert answered the phone himself.

The following story was written we don't know how long ago by one, Elmer Ellsworth Helms and was reprinted in the October edition of "The Kentuckian," official newsletter of the National Association of Postmasters. We thank West Liberty Postmaster Wendell Nickell for calling it to our attention and lending us a copy. We believe you'll like it.

## Kate Field, Postmistress

When Benjamin Harrison was President he persuaded John Wanamaker to become Postmaster General.

When Mr. Wanamaker had been in office fifteen months, he invited several hundred postmasters and postmistresses from all sections of the country to come to Washington for three days to talk over, "How we can improve the postal system and service." Transportation, hotels and miscellaneous were all paid by Mr. Wanamaker.

The third night, which also ended the meeting, a banquet was tendered the delegates by Mr. Wanamaker. No expense was spared. At the speaker's table, besides Mr. Wanamaker, were President Harrison, Secretary of State Blaine, Chief Justice Fuller and special guest, Kate Field.

Kate Field — journalist, lecturer, actress — was then the rage of Washington and over much of the country. When she accepted the invitation it was with the expressed condition she would not be asked to speak.

Mr. Wanamaker presided. He reviewed the work of the three

day's conference. And then, in turn, he presented the President, the secretary of State and the Chief Justice. Each made an address. That ended the formal speaking. Mr. Wanamaker arose to conclude the meeting when there burst forth from the delegates, "Kate Field," continuing loud and long. Mr. Wanamaker bent over Miss Field trying to persuade her to at least, say a few words.

Suddenly there was an ominous silence. Mr. Wanamaker looked up to behold a strange sight. Standing in the middle of that great banquet hall was a small, plain country woman, her bonnet years out of style. Across her shoulders lay a once black, but long since greenish shawl. All eyes were upon her. That awesome silence said, "In a moment they will be yelling, 'Sit down.'"

Kate Field sensed the situation in a second. Glancing down the printed list of names, she read, "Kate Field, postmistress, Cumberland Corners, Ky., fourth class." Instantly she was on her feet clapping her hands and shouting, "Kate Field of Kentucky." The crowd joined — as crowds always do.

And the little country postmistress said, "For the life of me I can't understand why you called me to speak. It's the last thing I expected when I came to this banquet and this meeting. In fact when I got Uncle Sam's invitation I didn't see how I could come at all. What with Ma chair-ridden, and no one to keep the post office, or care for the chickens, or look after young turkeys, and so many things.

"But while you all was callin' fur me to speak and I was sayin' to myself 'Why?' it came to me that maybe it's because these three days we've heard lots about the big post offices, but nothing has been said about little post offices like mine.

"You've heard a lot o' jokes about them that keep post offices readin' the mail. With me that ain't no joke. Ours is a mountain country. Lots of the mountain folks don't get down to town once a month. Mail seldom comes for them 'cept bad news—death, sickness or worse troubles. I reads it, then I gits somebody with a sure-footed mule, and willin' heart, to take the mail where it order go.

"Yes, and while I'm confessin' to you all, and 'specially to our Postmaster General, I once committed forgery. You see, I haster read lost o' folks mail 'cause they can't read. Widder Hovers' boy Jake ups and runs away and she never had nary a word from him.

"One day a letter came and I sent her word. She came down in about a week and I give her Jake's letter. She can't read her word. But she never lets on. She blames it on her eyes. So she says, 'Kate, read it fur me; I'm havin' heaps of trouble with my eyes.' I read — to myself, 'Dear Ma. This is a fine country up north. I am well and I hope you are the same. I hope you can send me some money soon. I sure need it. Jake!'

"When I seed what it said, I pretended I'd haster gitt my glasses. I stepped out o' sight and I changed that last part to read, 'I hope I can send you some money soon. You sure need it.' If you had seen the widder's face you'd been glad if you had committed forgery. She went out like she had wings, and a shoutin' 'I knowed there was good in Jake.' And then I wrote that good fur nothin' a letter. I telled him how I committed forgery to save his face to his poor ole ma. And I said, 'If you don't git to work and git some money and send it to

your ma, I'm coming up thar, and when I am through with you, you'll look funny runnin' aroun' with no skin on you.' And he did.

"By readin' the mail which I orten to, I've kept many a nice girl from goin' out nights with the wrong feller. I know it's not the rules of department. But it's in my rules. And by readin' what I shouldn't and vice versa, I've seen nice gurls who never git no letters because they aint got no nice clothes—well, I've seen that they got a nice dress and then they git letters from the right boys and that helps business, and buid's families, and sells stamps and—does good all around.

"Postmistresses like me have to be a lot o' things—doctors, nurse, father, confessor, and what not. I'll never forgit the night of the big mill fire. They brought men down so burned you couldn't tell which was which. How me and my kit full of everything worked all that night! And when they brought Jim down from the mountain with a piece o' steel in his eye, it took four men to hold him. I jes' took my magnet and touched Jim's eye and—there was the steel!

"But law! Jes' listen to me I didn't intend to gon on like this. I'm only Kate Field, postmistress, Cumberland Corners, Kentucky, the best fourth-class post office in this good ole U.S.A."

When she sat down, the applause and hand clapping were deafening, and every person was standing. Mr. Wanamaker stood with bowed head and face bathed in tears. He quietly said, "Every newspaper man must see me here before leaving."

When the reporters came he said, "I know you have the story of your career. But you can't print it. Were that dear, old Kentucky country postmistress to discover she was not the Kate Field the crowd was clamoring for, it would break her heart. We can't break such hearts as that. That story must not be printed while she is living."

Years passed. Many years passed. One morning the little Cumberland Corners post office didn't open. Finally the neighbors knocked on the front door. No response. They found an unlatched window. One of their number went through. Kate was an early riser. This morning she was still in bed. She lay very still. Her thinning gray hair look thinner and grayer. On the pillow beside her lay a yellowish-white clipping from a Washington daily paper. It could still be read:

"The closing speech was the speech of the evening. The ovation at its close should warm the speaker's heart till the end of her days."

In a tremble, old hand was written beneath, "It did."

Elmer Ellsworth Helms  
Reprinted

**EMERGENCY APPEAL**  
An Emergency appeal for funds to aid victims of the cyclone and tidal wave that devastated Pakistan has been issued by Save the Children Federation (SCF), an international child welfare agency headquartered in Norwalk, Connecticut. Funds will be used to help children, families and communities obtain emergency aid and begin long-range self-help rehabilitation projects need to restore homes, replant crops, rebuild roads and coastal embankments. Emergency funds should be sent to: Pakistan Disaster Fund Save The Children Federation Norwalk, Connecticut 06852.

RITES HELD FOR  
MRS. BOWLING, 65

Mrs. Vina Bowling, 65, wife of Warrle Bowling, died at 8:30 p.m. Sunday, Nov. 15, after a long illness. She was a native of Magoffin County and a member of the Primitive Baptist Church. She was a daughter of the late Harrison and Ettie Rudd Wages.

Surviving besides her husband are eight sons, Rev. Harold Bowling of Carey, Ohio; Rev. John Bowling of Arlington, Ohio; Frank Bowling of Camptec, Hager Bowling of Carey, Ohio; James and Homer Bowling of Cincinnati; Junior Bowling of Middletown, Ohio; and Grover Bowling of Carlisle, Ohio; three daughters, Mrs. Lovada Robinson and Mrs. Eula Mae Spencer, both of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Dorothy Madden of Franklin, Ohio; three brothers, Chester Wages of Lexington, Charlie Wages of Buclah, Ky., and Ollie Jones of Salyersville; seven sisters, Mrs. Pearl Keeton of Cannel City, Mrs. Mary Ann Rudd of Stacy, Pa.; Mrs. Lona Large of Dayton, Ohio; Mrs. Lovada Salyer of Premium, Ky. Mrs. Martha Quillen of Neon, Mrs. Emma Driskel of Carrollton, and Mrs. Elizabeth Schindler of Chatfield, Ohio; 37 grandchildren, and eight great-grandchildren.

Funeral was conducted at 1:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 18, at the Porter and Son Funeral Home by Rev. Will McCarty. Burial was in the Burton Fork Cemetery in Magoffin County.

## FALCON MARI HURT IN MT. STERLING WRECK

MT. STERLING, KY. — Morris L. Border of Falcon, Magoffin county, suffered a broken jaw and chest injuries when his car slammed into a tree on Richmond Avenue here Sunday.

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